Abbreviations

ANC African National Congress CBD Convention on Biological Diversity CIPC Companies and Intellectual Property Commission, South Africa Companies and Intellectual Property Registration Office, **CIPRO** South Africa **CSIR** Council for Scientific and Industrial Research. South Africa Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism, DEAT South Africa Department of Tourism, Environment, and Conservation, DETEC South Africa **IPCB** Indigenous Peoples' Council on Biocolonialism NKC National Khoisan Council SADF South African Defense Force SAHG South African Hoodia Growers (Pty) Limited South African Hoodia Growers Association SAHGA South African San Institute SASI SWAPO South West Africa People's Organization TRIPs (Agreements on) Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights United Nations UN USPTO United States Patent and Trademark Office WIMSA Working Group of Indigenous Minorities in South Africa