

List of abbreviations

CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act
CGL	Comprehensive General Liability
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
EI	environmental insurance
EIL	Environmental Impairment Liability
ELI	environmental liability insurance
EPMR	Environmental Protection Measures Reserve
EPP	environmental pollution payments
ERA	environmental risk assessment
EU	European Union
EC	European Commission
GDP	gross domestic product
GELA	German Environmental Liability Act
Gosatomnadzor	State Nuclear Operations Control Service
Gosgortekhnadzor	State Mining and Technical Supervision Service
Goskomekologiya	State Committee for Environmental Protection
Gossanepidnadzor	Federal Consumer Rights and Human Well-Being Supervision Service
HRA	health risk assessment
IPPC	Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control
MEM	Ministry of for Emergency Management
MNR	Ministry of Natural Resources
MoEDT	Ministry of Economic Development and Trade
MoF	Ministry of Finance
MPC	maximum permissible concentrations
MPD	maximum permissible discharges
MPE	maximum permissible emissions
MSW	municipal solid waste
NGO	non-governmental organizations
NNRFEI	Nizhniy Novgorod Region Fund for Environmental Insurance
NWIBC	North-Western Insurance Broker Center
OECD	Organization for Economic Co-Operation and Development
PI	professional indemnity
PL	pollution liability
PMR	preventive measures reserves
RAS	Russian Academy of Science
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RF	Russian Federation
Rosprirodnadzor	Federal Environmental Management Supervision Service
Rosstrahnadzor	Federal Service for Insurance Supervision
Rostekhnadzor	Federal Environmental, Technological and Nuclear Supervision Service
SWOT-analysis	the analysis of strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats
UNEP	United Nations Environmental Programme
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
UST	underground storage tank
WDL	waste disposal limit
WTO	World Trade Organisation