

Abbreviations

AAA	Agriculture Advancing Australia
ABARES	Australian Bureau of Agriculture Resource Economics and Sciences
ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
ADI	Authorised Deposit-taking Institution
ATO	Australian Taxation Office
BCS	Business Characteristics Survey
BLS	Business Longitudinal Survey
BLD	Business Longitudinal Database
CAFBA	Commercial Asset Finance Brokers Association
CALD	Culturally and Linguistically Diverse
CCIQ	Chamber of Commerce and Industry Queensland
CGT	Capital Gains Tax
COAG	Council of Australian Governments
Corporations Act	<i>Corporations Act 2001</i>
COSBOA	Council of Small Business of Australia
DRALGAS	Department of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport
DIISRTE	Department of Industry, Innovation, Science, Research and Tertiary Education
DRET	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism
EC	European Commission
EM	Explanatory Memorandum
ESS	Employee Share Scheme

EVAO	Estimated Value of Agricultural Operations
FBA	Family Business Australia
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GFC	Global Financial Crisis
HBR	Harvard Business Review
IDC	Inter-Departmental Committee
IFERA	International Family Enterprise Research Academy
ITAA	<i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1997</i>
MGI	MGI Australasia
NFF	National Farmers' Federation
OCR	Optical Character Recognition
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
PwC	PricewaterhouseCoopers
R&D	Research and Development
RBA	Reserve Bank of Australia
RDA	Regional Development Australia
RMIT	Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology
SMEs	small and medium-sized enterprises