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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

<i>Ae.</i>	=	Aedes
<i>An.</i>	=	Anopheles
h	=	Hour
KD	=	Knockdown
MOPH	=	Ministry of Public Health
<i>P</i>	=	Probability Value
SE	=	Standard Error
WHO	=	World Health Organization