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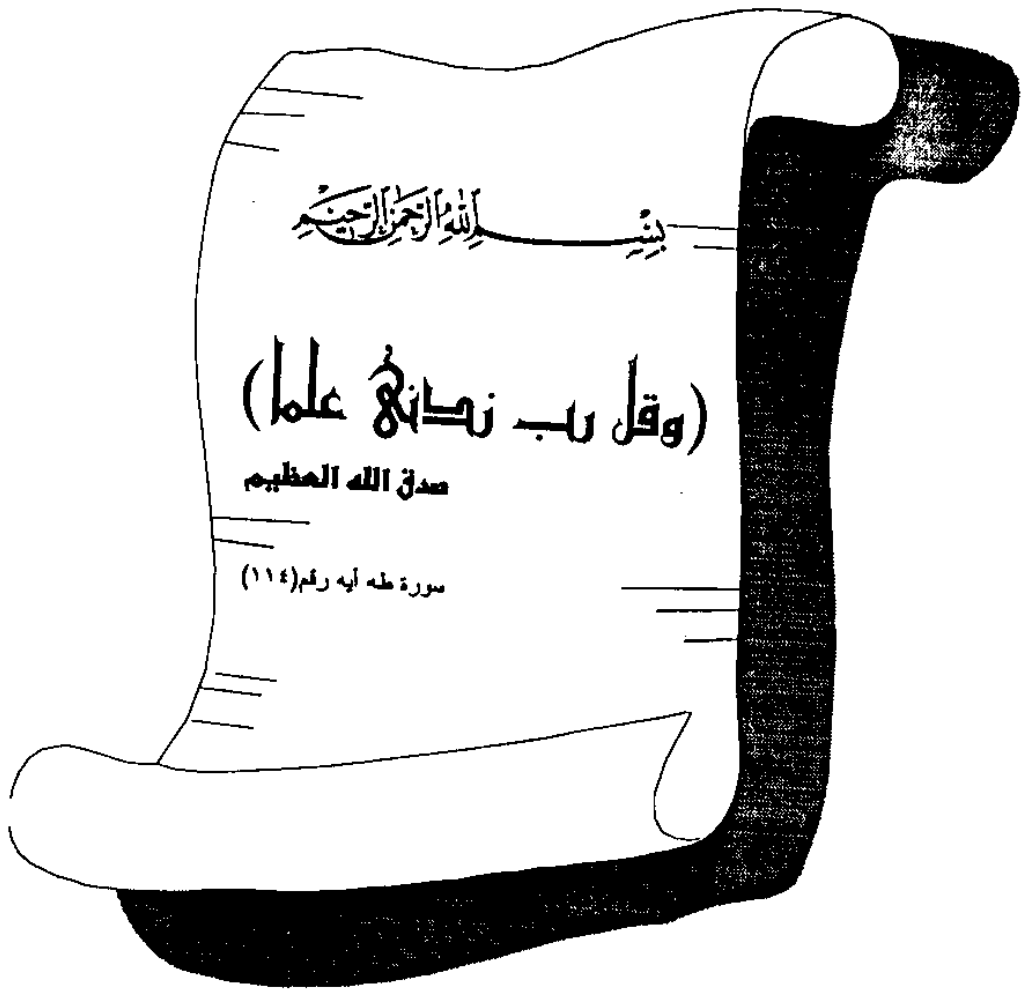
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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ACTH	Adreno-corticotropic hormone
ADP	Adenosine-diphosphate
APPC	American association of poison control centers
AVM	Arterio-venous malformation
B.P.	Blood pressure
CPF	Cerebrospinal fluid
CMV	Cytomegalovirus
CNS	Central nervous system
CPAP	Continuous positive airway pressure
CPP	Cerebral perfusion pressure
CSF	Cerebro spinal fluid
DIC	Disseminated intravascular coagulation
EEG	Electroencephalography
EMG	Electromyography
EP	Evoked potential
GBS	Guillain-Barré syndrome
ICP	Intracranial pressure
IgIV	Immunoglobuline intravenously
ICU	Intensive care unit
IV	Intravenous
LEMs	Lambert-Eaton Myasthenic syndrome
MP	Methylprednisolone
Neuro-ICU	Neurological intensive care unit
NICU-CEEG	Neuroscience intensive care unit continuous electroencephalography.
NICU-EP	Neuroscience intensive care unit evoked potential
NIF	Negative inspiratory force
PCR	Polymerase chain reaction
PE	Plasma exchange
PEEP	Positive end expiratory pressure
PICU	Psychiatric intensive care unit
PSV	Pressure support ventilation
S.C.	Subcutaneous
SIMV	Synchronized intermittent ventilation
VC	Vital capacity

