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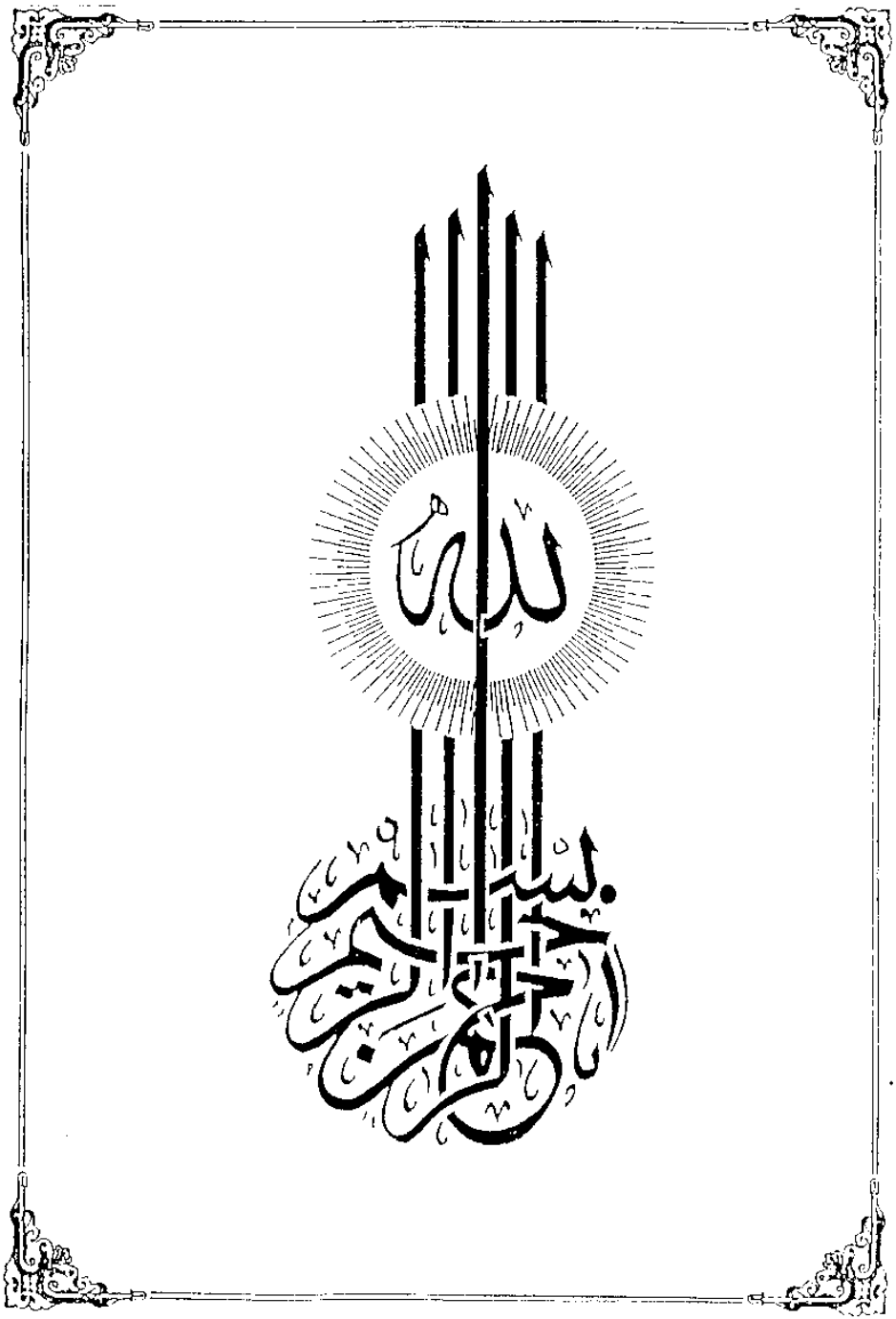

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

A-1-M:	Alpha-1-microglobulin
AAS:	Atomic absorption spectrometry
ACGIH:	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
ADP:	Adenosine disphosphate
ALP:	Alkaline phosphatase
Alpha-1-M:	Alpha-1-microglobulin
ALT:	Alanine amino transferase
AMP:	2-amino-methyl-1-propanol
AST:	Aspartate amino transferase
ATP:	Adenosine triphosphate
ATPase:	Adenosine triphosphatase
BCP:	Bromocresol purple
BUN:	Blood urea nitrogen
Cd $(CO_3)_2$:	Cadmium carbonate
Cd-Mt:	Cadmium-metallothionein
Cd-U:	Urinary cadmium
Cd:	Cadmium
$CdCl_2$:	Cadmium chloride
CdO:	Cadmium oxide
CdS:	Cadmium sulfide
COPD:	Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases
DCHBS:	3,5-dichloro-2-hydroxybenzene sulfonate
DPASV:	Differential pulse anodic stripping voltametry
EIA:	Enzyme immunoassay
ELISA:	Enzyme linked immunosorbent assay
ETA:	Electrothermal atomization
ETAA:	Electrothermal atomic absorption
FN:	False negative
G6PDH:	Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase
GFR:	Glomerular filtration rate
GGT:	γ-glutamyl transferase
GLDH:	Glutamate dehydrogenase
H_2O_2:	Hydrogen peroxide
HBB:	High body burden
HC-albumin:	Alpha-1M albumin
HC-IgA:	Alpha-1-M-IgA
HK:	Hexokinase
IAP:	Intestinal alkaline phosphatase
LAT:	Latex agglutination test
LBB:	Low body burden
LDH:	Lactatdehydrogenase

LMW:	Low molecular weight
MA:	Microalbumin
MBB:	Moderate body burden
MDH:	Malate dehydrogenase
Mt:	Metallothionein
NAD:	Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide
NADH:	Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide dehydrogenase
NAG:	N-acetyl-ß-glucosaminidase
NHO_3:	Nitric acid
NIOSH:	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
PAM:	Pulmonary alveolar macrophage
pI:	Isoelectric point
PIXE:	Proton induced X-ray emission
Protein HC:	Human complex forming glycoprotein
RBP:	Retinol binding protein
RIA:	Radioimmunoassay
RID:	Radial immunodiffusion
SRID:	Single radial immunodiffusion
TP:	True positive
VLC:	Very low concentration
WHO:	World Health Organization
ß2m:	Beta2 microglobulin

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