## **APPENDIX A: ACRONYMS**

AAMA: ADA: AMCA: ANSI: ARI: ASA: ASHRAE: ASHRAE: ASME: ASTM:	American Architectural Manufacturers Association Americans with Disabilities Act Air Movement Control Association American National Standards Institute Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute Acoustical Society of America American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers American Society of Mechanical Engineers American Society of Testing and Materials
BAS:	building automation system
BOCA:	Building Officials and Codes Administrator International, Inc.
BTU:	British thermal unit
CFR:	Code of Federal Regulations
CQM:	construction quality management
DDC:	direct digital control
DoE:	Department of Energy
EIA:	Electronic Industries Alliance
HVAC:	heating, ventilation, and air conditioning
IDF:	intermediate distribution frames
IES:	Illuminating Engineering Society
ISA:	Instrument Society of America
ISO:	International Organization for Standardization
IT:	information technology
LAN:	local area network
MERV:	minimum efficiency reporting rating
NARA:	National Archives and Records Administration
NEHRP:	National Earthquake Hazard Reduction Program
NEMA:	National Electrical Manufacturers Association
NEPA:	National Environmental Policy Act
NFPA:	National Fire Protection Association

NFGS: NISO: nM: NRCA:	Naval Facilities Guide Specifications National Information Standards Organization nanometer(s) National Roofing Contractors Association
ppb:	parts per billion
RDC:	roof deck construction
SCIF:	Secured Compartmentalized Information Facility; Sensitive Compartmented Information Facilities; or Secured Confined Information Facilities
SMACNA: SMPTE:	Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors' National Association Society of Motion Picture and Television Engineers
TIA:	Telecommunications Industry Association
UBC: UFGS: UL: UPS: UV:	Uniform Building Code Unified Facilities Guide Specifications Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. uninterruptible power source ultraviolet light
VAV: VFD:	variable air volume systems variable frequency drives
WAN:	wide area network