

List of Acronyms

AOPDFRK	Archive of Socio-Political Movements and Formations of the Republic of Karelia
BAM	Baikal-Amur Mainline
BAMLag	Baikal-Amur Camp
BBK	White Sea–Baltic Combine
BBLag	White Sea–Baltic Camp
CPSU	Communist Party of the Soviet Union
Dalstroi	Far North Construction Trust
GAMO	State Archive of the Magadan Region
GARF	State Archive of Russian Federation
Glavk (pl. glavki)	Main Economic Administration
Glavpromstroi	Main Administration of Industrial Construction
Gosbank	State Bank
Gosplan	State Planning Commission
GUGidroStroi	Main Administration of Hydraulic Construction
Gulag	Main Administration of Camps
GULGMP	Main Administration of Camps in Mining and Metallurgy Industry

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GULLP	Administration of Camps in Forestry and Wood Processing
GULPS	Main Administration of Camps for Industrial Construction
GULSchosDor	Main Administration of Camps for Highway Construction
GULZhDS	Chief Camp Administration of Railway Construction
GUSHDS	Main Administration of Railroad Construction
GUSHosDor	Main Administration of Roadway Construction
ITL	Corrective Labor Camp
KVO	Cultural-Educative Department
MGB	Ministry of State Security
MVD	Ministry of Internal Affairs
Narkomtrud	People's Commissariat (Ministry) of Labor
Narkomvnudel	See NKVD
NEP	New Economic Policy
NKVD	People's Commissariat (Ministry) of Internal Affairs
Norillag	Norilsk Labor Camp
Norilstroi	Norilsk Construction Administration
Politburo	Supreme Body of CPSU
OGPU	United State Political Administration (secret police in 1923–1934)
RGAE	Russian State Archive of the Economy
RGASPI	Russian State Archive of Social and Political History
SLON (also SLAG)	Solovetskii Camp of Special Significance
Sevostlag	Northeastern Camps
SNK (also Sovnarkom)	Council of People's Commissars (government)

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STO	Council of Labor and Defense (a commission of SNK)
TsGARK	Central State Archive of the Republic of Karelia
TsKhSDMO	Center for the Preservation of the Modern Documents of the Magadan Region
ULLP	Administration of Camps in Forestry and Wood Processing
ULTP	Administration of Camps in Heavy Industry
USiKMITL	Administration of Camps Solovetskii and Karelo-Murmansk Corrective-Labor
URO	Department of Records and Assignments of the Gulag
USLON	Administrative of Northern Camps of Special Significance
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics