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Ms. Sapadin:

SUBJECT: Approval of ISMP for DOE Award Number DE-EE0002777, *Recovery Act*:
Newberry Volcano EGS Demonstration

This letter constitutes written acknowledgement that the Induced Seismicity Mitigation Plan (ISMP) submitted by AltaRock Energy, Inc. (AltaRock) on August 3, 2011 for the subject award has been deemed technically adequate by the Department of Energy. The ISMP will be incorporated into the subject award through a forthcoming award modification. Accordingly, AltaRock must comply with the ISMP, including the mitigation and communications actions.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 303.275.4942 or via email at genevieve.wozniak@go.doe.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Genevieve Wozniak".

Genevieve Wozniak
Contracting Officer

cc: Jay Nathwani, EGS Team Lead
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