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NRG and Sandia file new patent application for hydrocarbon recovery enhancement

Thompsons Station, TN, December 23, 2014 – NRG Systems, Inc. ("NRG") noted today Sandia Corporation's filing of a new patent entitled "Method For Enhancing Hydrocarbon Recovery From Tight Formations." The application, and associated research and testing, have been the focus of collaboration by Sandia National Laboratories ("Sandia") and NRG under their CRADA that was initiated just over a year ago.

Named inventors on the application included Patrick V. Brady, Ph.D. (Senior Scientist), and Charles R. Bryan, both of Sandia, and Helmuth Heneman. Technology described in the patent builds on earlier patented methods, and suggests numerous remarkable new concepts and methods for enhancing the economics of tight formation development – a topic of significant import to America and it's Oil & Gas industry.

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