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## Craddick Statement

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Steve –

See below, and please let me know if you have any questions.

The Railroad Commission utilizes the strongest, science-based rules in the country to proactively assess and respond to potential cases of induced seismicity in Texas in order to keep our citizens and resources safe. Our rules afford the Commission the unequivocal power to monitor and control oil and gas operations and work with operators to collect data in areas where seismic concerns may exist. We will continue to work closely with the TexNet Seismic Monitoring Program to better understand induced seismicity and will take further regulatory action if determined necessary.

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