



TRADING SYMBOLS:

April 16, 2008

In the U. S.: AMEX: **HTM** and in Canada: TSX: **GTH**

U.S. GEOTHERMAL INC. NOW TRADING ON THE AMERICAN STOCK EXCHANGE

BOISE, Idaho – April 16, 2008 (AMEX: **HTM**, TSX: **GTH**) U.S. Geothermal Inc. (“U.S. Geothermal”), a renewable energy development company focused on the production of electricity from geothermal energy, announced that its common shares have been listed on the American Stock Exchange (“AMEX”) effective at market opening today under the trading symbol “HTM”. The AMEX specialist for U.S. Geothermal will be J. Streicher & Co., LLC.

The common shares of U.S. Geothermal had previously traded on the OTC Bulletin Board under the symbol “UGTH”. In addition to the AMEX listing, U.S. Geothermal continues to trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol “GTH” and trading will cease on the OTC.

About US Geothermal:

U.S. Geothermal is a renewable energy development company that is currently operating a geothermal power plant at Raft River, Idaho and is conducting exploration activities at Neal Hot Springs, Oregon.

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