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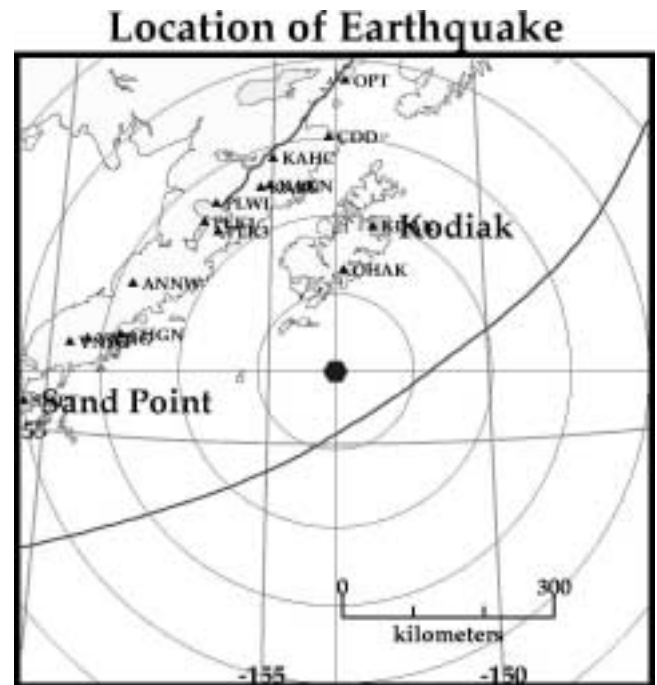
The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a light earthquake that occurred on Sunday, May 25th at 1:14 PM AKDT south of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 4.1 and was located at a depth of about 13 miles (21 km). The magnitude and location may change slightly as additional data are received and processed. This event is an aftershock of M5.5 earthquake that occurred on May 25 at 11:18 AM AKDT. No reports of this event being felt or causing damage have been received at this time.

Distance to nearby locations:

121 km (75 miles) SSE of Akhiok
142 km (89 miles) S of Old Harbor
182 km (113 miles) S of Larsen Bay
192 km (120 miles) SSE of Karluk
217 km (135 miles) SSW of Kodiak
219 km (137 miles) S of Port Lions
229 km (143 miles) SSW of Ouzinkie
308 km (193 miles) E of Chignik

Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Origin Time (UT): 05/25/2008 21:14:25
Latitude: 55 N 56'
Longitude: 153 W 28'
Depth: 21 km
Magnitude: ML 4.1



Circles are 111 km (70 miles) apart.

The location and magnitude for this earthquake may be updated as data from additional seismic stations are received. The Alaska Earthquake Information Center will continue to gather data and may issue additional releases as appropriate. With any moderate or large earthquake, aftershocks should be expected to occur.

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The Alaska Earthquake Information Center (AEIC) monitors earthquakes in Alaska and provides earthquake information to the citizens and public officials of Alaska. The Center is a cooperative program of the Geophysical Institute of the University of Alaska and the U.S. Geological Survey and is located at the Geophysical Institute in Fairbanks with the Alaska State Seismologist's Office.

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