



INFORMATION RELEASE



ALASKA EARTHQUAKE INFORMATION CENTER

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The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located an earthquake that occurred on Saturday, June 7th at 5:16 AM AKDT in the Kenai Peninsula region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 2.7 and was located at a depth of about 15 miles (23 km). The magnitude and location may change slightly as additional data are received and processed. This earthquake was felt in Anchorage. No reports of this event causing damage have been received at this time.

Distance to nearby locations:

31 km (19 miles) NW of Cooper Landing
37 km (23 miles) SW of Hope
37 km (23 miles) ENE of Sterling
50 km (31 miles) WNW of Moose Pass
54 km (34 miles) ENE of Soldotna
58 km (37 miles) SSW of Anchorage
60 km (38 miles) WSW of Girdwood
62 km (39 miles) ENE of Kenai

Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Origin Time (UT): 06/07/2008 13:16:46
Latitude: 60 N 42'
Longitude: 150 W 10'
Depth: 23 km
Magnitude: ML 2.7

Location of Earthquake



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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