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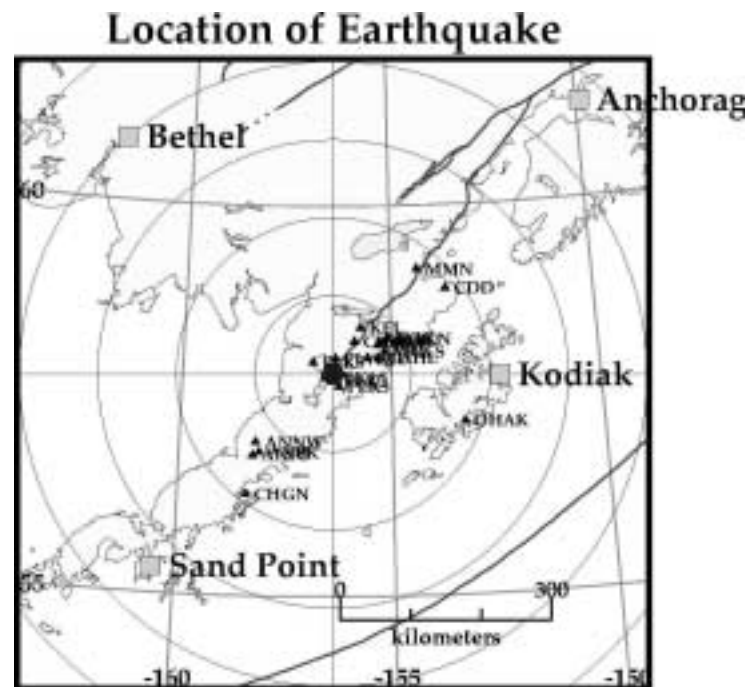
The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a minor earthquake that occurred on Monday, July 14th at 6:39 AM AKDT in the Alaska Peninsula region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 3.7 and was located at a depth of about 83 miles (133 km). The magnitude and location may change slightly as additional data are received and processed. No reports of this event being felt or causing damage have been received at this time.

Distance to nearby locations:

69 km (43 miles) SE of Egegik
77 km (48 miles) ENE of Pilot Point
94 km (59 miles) S of King Salmon
101 km (63 miles) SSE of South Naknek
103 km (64 miles) SSE of Naknek
120 km (75 miles) WNW of Karluk
142 km (89 miles) S of Levelock
149 km (93 miles) WNW of Larsen Bay

Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Origin Time (UT): 07/14/2008 14:39:27
Latitude: 57 N 51'
Longitude: 156 W 24'
Depth: 133 km
Magnitude: ML 3.7



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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