The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a light earthquake that occurred on Sunday, November 13th at 12:27 AM AKST in the Rat Islands region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 4.4 and was located at a depth of about 3 miles (5 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:

- 58 km (36 miles) SSW of Amchitka
- 244 km (153 miles) SE of Buldir Is;
- 331 km (207 miles) WSW of Adak
- 369 km (231 miles) ESE of Shemya Is
- 433 km (271 miles) ESE of Attu
- 503 km (314 miles) WSW of Atka
- 653 km (408 miles) W of Amukta Pass
- 503 km (314 miles) WSW of Atka
- 369 km (231 miles) ESE of Shemya Is
- 331 km (207 miles) WSW of Adak
- 244 km (153 miles) SE of Buldir Is;
- 58 km (36 miles) SSW of Amchitka

Preliminary earthquake parameters:

- Latitude: 51 N 02’
- Longitude: 178 E 46’
- Depth: 5 km
- Magnitude: ML 4.4

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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