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Quake shakes southeast coast

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An earthquake registering 4.0 on the Richter scale shook the island's southeast coast late Wednesday night, the Seismic Network said. No victims or damages were reported.

The quake, which occurred at 11:58 p.m., was centered about 18 degrees north

and 65.7 degrees east — some 20 miles east of Maunabo, said Christa Vonhillebrandt, a geologist at the network.

According to Vonhillebrandt, "the earthquake was felt by some people in the San Juan and Fajardo areas." She added that there were no reports that the quake had been felt in the U.S. Virgin Islands.