



## 5.0 Magnitude Earthquake Strikes Southern Iran



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A 5.0 magnitude earthquake has been felt in southern Iran. According to the country's state media, the tremor struck near the Sargaz area of Hormozgan and Kerman provinces on Tuesday (June 9) morning.

Following the quake, local authorities and emergency response agencies began monitoring the situation. However, no immediate reports of casualties or major damage have been received so far.

Iran is known as an earthquake-prone region, where moderate to strong tremors are frequently recorded. The country faces a comparatively high seismic risk due to its location on several active fault lines.

Meanwhile, at least 32 people were reported killed in a powerful earthquake in the Philippines a day earlier. Authorities fear the death toll could rise further as many buildings were damaged across different parts of the country.