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RCAF Air Sea Rescue men probed a "mystery plane" crash in northern B.C. waters today.

Three separate reports from ships in the area of Hakai Passage near Calvert Island, told of the crash of a flaming aircraft Wednesday night.

Flt.-Lt. Tommy Futer flew a Cessna to the scene for an unsuccessful search early today and another plane replaced him later to continue the investigation in the island waters, 40 miles northeast of Vancouver Island.

Air Force search and rescue unit says no commercial or military plane of Canada or the United States is missing.

A private plane should have filed a flight plan before proceeding over this area but may have failed to do so.

It is also considered possible that a meteorite may have plunged into the area.

The three vessels reporting the mystery crash were the Cape Caution, the Betty Grand, the Department of Fisheries vessel Howay.

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