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State Prison Inmate Back In Custody

(Pierre) - A state prison inmate who walked away from the Yankton Trusty Unit is back in custody.

Lonnie Moran was apprehended in Mitchell at approximately 8:20 AM Thursday.

Moran and another inmate, William Briley, walked away from the Yankton Unit on September 1st while assisting with a sweat lodge ceremony for Native American inmates. Briley was apprehended later that day in Mitchell.

Moran is serving a 5-year sentence with 2 years suspended for Grand Theft and a consecutive 2-year sentence with 2 years suspended for Eluding a Police Officer out of Pennington County. Briley is serving a 4-year, 11-month sentence for 3rd Degree Burglary out of Davison County.

Charges are pending against both inmates.