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Search underway for missing state prison inmate

(Pierre, S.D.)- A search is underway for a missing state prison inmate.

Inmate Jason Lucas, age 35, left Unit C, the minimum-security unit of the Jameson Annex of the South Dakota State Penitentiary in Sioux Falls this morning to go to his work release job.

The employer later sent the workers home, but Lucas failed to return to Unit C in a timely manner.

Lucas was sentenced to 5 years with 2 years suspended for 4th offense Driving While Intoxicated out of Minnehaha County in December 2011.

He is a white male, 6-feet-4 inches tall and weighs approximately 230 pounds. He has brown hair and blue eyes.

If you see Lucas or know of his whereabouts, contact law enforcement immediately.