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Statement from Secretary of Corrections Denny Kaemingk on execution of Inmate Eric Robert

“The execution of Inmate Eric Robert was carried out this evening.

South Dakota Codified Law assigns the responsibility for carrying out the execution of inmates sentenced to death to the Warden and other employees of the Department of Corrections. We take that responsibility very seriously.

Director of Prison Operations and Chief Warden Doug Weber and his staff spent countless hours of preparation to ensure that the execution was carried out in a professional, humane and dignified manner, and in accordance to state law.”