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State Penitentiary Staff Member Injured in Assault by Inmate

SIOUX FALLS, S.D.- A security staff member at the South Dakota State Penitentiary was assaulted by an inmate Feb. 11.

The staff member was treated at a local hospital for a facial laceration and released. The staff member returned to work Feb. 12.

The Division of Criminal Investigation and the Penitentiary's Special Investigation Unit are investigating the assault.

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