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#### **State Prison Inmate Dies**

(Pierre) - An inmate at the South Dakota State Penitentiary in Sioux Falls died July 6<sup>th</sup>.

Andrew Young, age 23, was found unresponsive in his cell at approximately 11:08 PM Saturday. He was pronounced dead at approximately 11:46 PM.

Young was serving a 5-year sentence with 2 years suspended for Grand Theft out of Brown County. He was facing an additional 7-year sentence for escaping from the Yankton Trusty Unit May 21, 2002.

No cause of death has been determined. An autopsy is scheduled for Monday.

The Division of Criminal Investigation and Attorney General's Office are investigating.