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Inmates deployed to assist with storm clean-up in Garretson

Pierre, S.D. – State prison inmates are being deployed to Garretson today to assist with storm clean-up efforts.

Seventy inmates from Unit C, the minimum-security unit of the Jameson Annex of the South Dakota State Penitentiary in Sioux Falls and the Yankton Trusty Unit will help clear fallen trees and debris as needed from the August 3rd storm.

Inmates have worked more than 75-thousand hours on Disaster Response projects in the past ten years. For more information on the various work performed by inmates, visit the Department of Corrections website at: http://www.state.sd.us/corrections/emergency_response.htm

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