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State Prison Inmate Back In Custody

Sioux Falls, S.D.- A minimum-security state prison inmate who failed to return to the minimum-security unit on the grounds of the South Dakota State Penitentiary July 17 is back in custody.

Inmate Ryan Dahl was apprehended in Sioux Falls, S.D., on July 27, 2015.

He was placed on escape status after failing to report back to the minimum-security unit from his job search at the appointed time.

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Our mission is to protect the citizens of South Dakota by providing safe and secure facilities for juvenile and adult offenders committed to our custody by the courts. To provide effective community supervision to offenders upon their release and to utilize evidence-based practices to maximize opportunities for rehabilitation.