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State Prison Inmate Back In Custody

RAPID CITY, S.D. – A state prison inmate who walked away from a minimum-security unit in Rapid City late last year is back in custody.

Inmate Francisco Bordier was apprehended in Rapid City March 6. He left the Rapid City Community Work Center, a Department of Corrections facility housing minimum-security inmates and Community Transition Program parolees, on Dec. 9.

Bordier is currently being held at the Pennington County Jail.

Bordier was serving a five-year sentence for distribution of a controlled substance and a concurrent three-year sentence for possession of a controlled substance at the time he left the Community Work Center. Both sentences were imposed in Pennington County.

Leaving a non-secure correctional facility without authorization constitutes second-degree escape, a class 5 felony, and is punishable by a maximum of five years in prison.

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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.