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Inmate Cody Summerside placed on escape status

HURON, S.D.- State prison inmate Cody Summerside has been placed on escape status.

Summerside left a housing unit for minimum-security inmates in Huron without authorization Aug. 17.

Summerside is currently serving concurrent sentences for possession of a controlled substance and failure to appear from Lawrence County.

Summerside, age 27, is a white male. He has brown hair and brown eyes. He is 5-feet-11-inches tall and weighs approximately 165 pounds.

Failure to return to custody following an assignment constitutes second-degree escape, a Class 5 felony punishable by up to 5 years in prison.

If you see Summerside or know of his whereabouts, contact law enforcement immediately.

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