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Omaha Correctional Center Inmate Dies – Cause Believed to be Natural

(OMAHA) – Tracy Jackson (30), inmate #71984 died on December 27, 2016, at Nebraska Medicine. He was serving a 10 to 17 year sentence for Robbery and Possession of a Firearm by a Felon from Lancaster County. He began his sentence on August 3, 2010, and was eligible for parole on September 20, 2016. Jackson was scheduled for a parole hearing in November 2017 and had a tentative release date of March 21, 2020.

While cause of death has not been determined, Mr. Jackson was being treated for a medical condition to which his death is believed to be related. As is the case whenever an inmate dies in the custody of the Nebraska Department of Correctional Services, a Grand Jury investigation will be conducted.

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