



**DATE: September 7, 2012**  
**For Immediate Release**  
**Tecumseh State Correctional Institution**  
**Jessica Houseman, PIO (402-335-5113)**



Daniel Eona #45976, who was assigned to the Tecumseh State Correctional Institution, died on September 6, 2012 at 5:12 A.M. Mr. Eona has been incarcerated since September 6, 1994, and was serving a life sentence for 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder out of Douglas County.

Mr. Eona was 39 years old. Mr. Eona was found unresponsive in his cell at approximately 4:36 A.M. He was transported by ambulance to the Johnson County Hospital where he was pronounced dead at 5:12 A.M. The cause of death has not yet been determined.

As is the case whenever an inmate dies in the custody of the Department of Correctional Services, a Grand Jury will conduct an investigation.