



**PETE RICKETTS – GOVERNOR**  
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**DATE: June 2, 2015**  
**For Immediate Release**  
**Tecumseh State Correctional Institution**  
**Kevin Wilken, RM (402-335-5113)**



Robert Nelson, who was assigned to the Tecumseh State Correctional Institution, died on June 2, 2015 at 2:24 PM. Mr. Nelson had been incarcerated since January 27, 2014. Mr. Nelson was serving a 60-60 year sentence for 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Sexual Assault of a Child. This sentence was imposed by Douglas County.

Mr. Nelson was 55 years old. While the cause of death has not yet been determined, Mr. Nelson was being treated for a medical condition.

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

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