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PRESS RELEASE

Inmate Death: James David Kraus

August 4, 2023 (Anchorage): On 8/3/2023, James David Kraus, 78, was pronounced dead at 0139 hours.

Kraus was most recently housed at Goose Creek Correctional Center.

Kraus was remanded to DOC on April 1, 2007, and was a sentenced inmate convicted of Sexual Abuse of a Minor 1 and Sexual Abuse of a Minor 2. He was recently charged with additional counts of Sexual Abuse of a Minor 1 and Sexual Abuse of a Minor 2.

Death is believed to be related to natural causes and because of privacy and security, Alaska DOC cannot release confidential personal information, or medical information due to HIPAA regulations.

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