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Inmate dies in prison hospital

JACKSON, MS – A Mississippi State Penitentiary inmate serving 20 years for sexual battery has died in the prison hospital.

Troy Mark Guidroz, 75, died November 25. Notification of his death was pending family contact, which was confirmed today.

Guidroz had been hospitalized since June. An autopsy will determine his cause and manner of death.

Guidroz, MDOC #159169, pleaded guilty in Pike County and received a 30-year sentence May 26, 2010, with 20 years to serve and 10 years suspended.

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