



## ***PRESS RELEASE***

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On Friday evening July 13, 2007, an inmate from the Cumberland County Community Corrections Center failed to return from his place of employment after working at a construction site in Naples.

James Brown 39 years of age from Portland, was hired by a local painter and was expected to return back to the Community Corrections Center at 9:00pm. Brown was being held on a judgment and committal for violating a condition of release. Brown's past criminal history includes various misdemeanor and felony traffic offenses as well as trafficking prison contraband.

James Brown was located by investigators at approximately 04:00am on Saturday morning at a residence on Grant St. in Portland. He was returned to the Cumberland County Jail without incident.

This is the first incident whereby an inmate assigned to work release has walked away from job sight in nearly a year. The Cumberland County Community Corrections Center has approximately 50 inmates assigned who are nearing the end of their sentence and they are trying to become reintegrated back into the community. On average, 25 CCC inmates leave the facility on a daily basis to work at various jobs throughout Cumberland County. The other 25 inmates are assigned to supervised community service details on a daily basis also within Cumberland County.

A booking photo can be obtained from the intake staff at the jail. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Chief Deputy Kevin Joyce at 774-1444.