

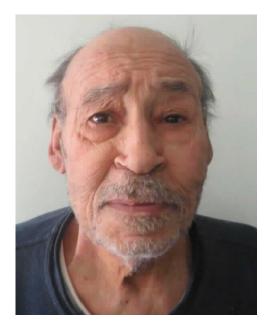
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## **Press Release**

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The Nevada Department of Corrections (NDOC) reports that on May 20, 2023, Offender Joseph Smith, 38840, was pronounced dead at Renown Regional Medical Center. Smith, 82, was serving a death sentence at Northern Nevada Correctional Center for two counts of first-degree murder, one count of attempted murder and use-of-a-deadly-weapon enhancement. He came to the NDOC on Jan. 29, 1993, from Clark County. An autopsy was requested per NRS 209.3815. Next-of-kin was notified.



Joseph Smith