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FEDERAL INMATE SENTENCED FOR ESCAPE

PRESS RELEASE

Timothy M. Morrison, Acting United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that KENNY WADE RUCKER, 42, a Federal Bureau of Prisons inmate was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment today by Chief U.S. District Judge Larry J. McKinney following his guilty plea to escape from the custody of the Federal Prison Camp. This case was the result of a investigation by the United States Marshal's Service and the Bureau of Prisons.

On November 10, 2006, RUCKER escaped from the Federal Prison Camp where he was serving a sentence for a federal drug offense. RUCKER was apprehended by U.S. Marshals in Terre Haute following his escape, and is now at the Federal Correctional Institution located next to the Camp.

According to Assistant U.S. Attorney James M. Warden, who prosecuted the case for the government, Judge McKinney also imposed 3 years supervised release following 's release from imprisonment.

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