Death Incident of an Inmate at Stanley Prison on 2 October 2003

About 7:10am on 2 October 2003, patrolling staff of Stanley Prison found a 40-year-old inmate hanging himself with a piece of bed sheet in his cell.

First aid was immediately applied at the scene and the inmate was taken to Eastern Hospital, where he was certified dead at 8:11am. The prison management has informed his relatives of his death on the same day.

Police have been informed of the incident. An inquest in accordance to the Coroners Ordinance will be held by the Coroner's Court.

The Chinese inmate was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to a 13-year prison term in February 2003.

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