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Elk Point, S.D. – State's Attorney Jerry A. Miller said today that Justin Emmick, 33, Sioux City, IA, plead guilty on September 20, 2010, and was sentenced in the 1st Circuit Court, in Union County on September 20, 2010, to one count of Engaging in Business Without Obtaining a Sales Tax License, a class 1 misdemeanor. The maximum sentence for a class 1 misdemeanor is a fine of \$2,000, and or one year in the county jail. Dunlap received a sentence of 60 days in the Union County Jail suspended on the terms and conditions that Emmick pay all of his monetary obligations within 90 days. Emmick was ordered to pay a total of \$2,094, in fines, court costs, and prosecution costs.

This case was investigated by the Union County Sheriff's Office by Chief Investigator Mike Bucholz, and by the South Dakota Department of Revenue, agent Lara Cunningham. Emmick was the owner operator of a company engaging in a landscaping business in the Dakota Dunes area without a sales tax license.