

FSU women finish second

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TAMPA — Florida State's girls softball team placed second in the South Florida Invitational here last weekend, losing 3-1 to Flagler College in the championship game.

The Lady Seminoles defeated Florida International 4-3 in the semi-finals of the losers bracket, then had to go back and win it again when the tournament committee upheld an FIU protest.

FIU claimed that FSU's Corrie Odom was using an illegal pitch, and the game had to be replayed from the fifth inning. FSU won again, this time 5-1.

The Lady Seminoles then knocked off Florida Tech 6-0 before losing to Flagler. FSU is now 7-5 on the season.