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FLORIDA STATE SOFTBALL

FULLERTON, CA--The 9th-ranked Florida State Seminoles dropped a 4-2, decision in softball to No. 10 Kansas in Fullerton, CA Tuesday. Both teams will compete in the 16-team Pony Tournament hosted by Cal. State-Fullerton beginning Wednesday.

Shamalene Wilson put FSU on the board in the first inning. After a two-base throwing error by Jayhawk second baseman Jodi Richins, Wilson stole third and scored on a Tabatha Doka sacrifice fly.

Kansas tied the score in the second. In the third inning, a two-out error by Seminole shortstop Laurie Shepard led to a two-run Jayhawk rally. Kansas pitcher Julie Williams no-hit Florida State for 3.2 innings before Jen Olow cleared the left field fence to bring the Seminoles to 3-2. But, FSU could get no closer as Kansas picked up an insurance run in the bottom of the sixth.

With the win, the Jayhawks improve to 14-9. Williams (14-5) gave up four hits, walked two and struck out four.

Marla Looper (12-4) went the distance for FSU, scattering six hits and striking out five. The Seminoles lose their second consecutive game in falling to 30-7.

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Kansas 012 001 X 4 6 2

Williams-Herrera. Looper-Braye. WP- Williams(14-5). LP-Looper(12-4).

E- Richins, Blood, Braye, Shepard(2). LOB- KU(5), FSU(5). 2B-Herrera. HR-Olow(1).

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Date Mar. 22, 1994 Time 11:00 am Stadium Titan Field #1 City FURNERTON, CA

SCORE BY INNINGS		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
FLORIDA STATE		1	0	0	1	0	0	0			243
KANSAS		0	1	2	0	0	1	X			462

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