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VOLLEYBALL FALLS IN FIVE TO GEORGIA TECH Despite five players with double digit digs, the Lady Seminoles lose

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- Despite taking a two-game lead in the match, the Florida State volleyball team fell in five games by scores of 15-9, 15-13, 6-15, 9-15, 10-15, to Georgia Tech in ACC action at Tully Gymnasium Friday night. With the loss, the Lady Seminoles fall to 14-8 overall and 2-5 in conference play, while Georgia Tech, winners of seven straight, improve to 16-4 and 7-1 in the ACC.

Florida State came back from 5-0 deficits in the first two games to take the victories. The Lady Seminoles trailed 2-7 in game one and rallied to tie the contest at 7-7. FSU took its first lead at 8-7 and despite two more ties, the Tribe didn't trail again in the set. In game two, FSU tied the set at 5-5 and took the lead for good at 9-8. The Lady Seminoles recorded four service aces in the game and found themselves leading the blocking attack 17-6. The Tribe took a 3-0 lead to start things off in game three, but Tech quickly tied the score. Georgia Tech took a 5-4 advantage and led the remainder of the game. The Yellow Jackets came up big with six blocks and outhit FSU .487 to .167 in game three. Florida State found itself down 5-0 again in the fourth set, but this time, the Lady Noles could not bounce back. Despite pulling to within 7-6, FSU could not take the lead. Florida State hit .385 for game four, but Georgia Tech recorded 25 kills and a .525 hitting performance. In game five rally scoring, FSU had four early one-point leads, but with the score tied 5-5, the Yellow Jackets scored four straight points and FSU never recovered.

"We played some of the most inspiring defense that I've seen in the first two games," FSU Head Coach Dr. Cecile Reynaud said. "It was obvious we didn't want the ball to hit the floor. We dove for everything. But I thought we became very tentative in the third game. Tech picked on our left side hitters and ran a lot of slides. We had a lot of opportunities to win, but Georgia Tech is a good team and you can't let them back in it like we did."

Led by Norisha Campbell's 18 kills and .417 hitting percentage, Florida State had five players with double digit kills. Senior Jennifer Werrick hit .321 for the match and recorded a double-double with 14 kills and a team-high 10 digs. Freshman setter Jennifer Anderson returned to the starting line up and had 55 assists, while sophomore Jamie Hibbard played much of game four and had a solid performance with 11 assists. FSU hit .289 for the match and led by sophomore Dawn Hough's career-high seven blocks, outblocked the Yellow Jackets 25-18.

Georgia Tech's Maja Pachale had a match-high 29 kills and hit .490 for the night. The Yellow Jackets hit .349 as a team.

Florida State will host Clemson on Sunday, October 15th at 1 p.m.

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