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PATERSON N.J.- The New Jersey Jackals (7-16) fell to the New York Boulders (11-11), 5-0 tonight.

New York got on the board first in the first inning. With Ryan McCoy on second base, Jason Agresti drove him in with a double. Christian Ficca followed that up on the next pitch with a double of his own, making it a 2-0 Boulders lead.

The Boulders tacked on another in the sixth inning, courtesy of a McCoy home run, making it 3-0.

In the eighth, New York added two more on a home run off the bat of Ficca, making it a 5-0 game.

The Jackals got runners on base in each of the first seven innings, but each time were unable to capitalize, stranding 11 total. They also had six hits, three of which came from Ryan Ford, who went 3-4 on the day with one walk. Arbert Cipion had two hits of his own, and Patrick Sanchez had one hit.

Jackals starter Alex Barker (L, 1-3), lasted seven innings, giving up three runs on four hits. He struck out six and walked four. Colt Webb was first out of the bullpen for New Jersey. He threw one inning, surrendering two runs on one hit, while striking out two. Logan Waltz tossed a perfect ninth, striking out two.

Boulders starting pitcher Ryan Sleeper (W, 1-3) threw 6.2 innings. He gave up five hits and walked five, striking out one. He was relieved by Scott Harper, who tossed 1.1 innings, striking out two and giving up one hit. Nolan LaMere threw the ninth, striking out one.

The Jackals are back in action tomorrow night in Paterson when they kick off a series with the Brockton Rox. First pitch is scheduled for 6:35 P.M. ET.