2017 Hattiesburg Regional – Game 7
Postgame Notes – Mississippi State 8, Southern Miss 6

-Mississippi State is in back-to-back super regionals for the first time in school history.
-The Bulldogs are the 22nd team in the current regional format to advance after losing their first game.
-Mississippi State won four games in two days to finish the tournament.
-Game ended at 12:48 a.m.

Southern Miss Notes
-Southern Miss 18-3 when homering multiple times.
-The Golden Eagles tied a season-high four double plays in the field.
-All-American Nick Sandlin threw 6 2/3 innings in the tournament and fell to 10-2 on the season.
-The Golden Eagles drew two walks, fewest since having one at Middle Tennessee on April 30.
-Kirk McCarty made his second start of the weekend after pitching 4 1/3 innings Friday against UIC.
-The four, first-inning runs were the team’s most since April 28 at Middle Tennessee (eight).

Mississippi State Notes
-The Bulldogs improved to 7-20 when trailing after six innings.
-Spencer Price, the team’s top reliever with 14 saves, earned his fourth win after pitching the last three innings, a season-high.
-Trey Jolly’s 3 1/3 innings marked his second-longest outing of the year (5 1/3 against Kentucky on April 9).
-Riley Self pitched the final two innings and earned the save, the longest he had gone for one on the year.
-Brent Rooker hit his second homer of the doubleheader and 23rd of the season.
-Rooker also has 33 multi-hit games on the year.
-Cole Gordon got his second start of the regional (Friday) but lasted 2/3 of an inning.