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### P-BRUINS EARN ONE POINT, FALL TO HERSHEY BEARS IN SHOOTOUT, 3-2

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HERSHEY	0	1	1	1	3
PROVIDENCE	0	0	2	0	2

**PROVIDENCE, R.I.** - Peter Cehlarik scored two goals in the third period, but the Providence Bruins fell to the Hershey Bears, 3-2, on Saturday night in the shootout. Trent Frederic picked up two helpers in the loss, while Cooper Zech and Brett Ritchie each recorded one assist of their own. Max Lagace got the start in goal and recorded 30 saves.

#### JAY LEACH, HEAD COACH

“I didn’t like our game in the first two periods. I thought they competed harder than we did in those two periods. However, I liked our response in the third. We responded and played the way we need to play.

“We have to focus in on the way we played in the third and use that as a learning experience. We obviously got a point in a tight division and we’ll need to continue to collect those as we move forward into the second half.”

#### ATLANTIC DIVISION STANDINGS

TEAM	GP	PTS
HARTFORD	44	59
HERSHEY	46	59
PROVIDENCE	46	55
SPRINGFIELD	46	52
CHARLOTTE	43	51
WILKES-BARRE/SCRANTON	45	51
LEHIGH VALLEY	45	42
BRIDGEPORT	45	35

#### NEXT GAME

Following the All-Star Break, the P-Bruins will travel to Binghamton, New York and take on the Binghamton Devils on Friday, January 31 at Floyd L. Maines Veterans Memorial Arena. Puck drop is set for 7:05p.m. ET.

#### PETER CEHLARIK - TWO GOALS

“It’s been good playing with Brett (Ritchie) and Trent (Frederic). We work in a straight line and get hard on the forecheck. We work hard to create turnovers and find each other in those tough areas. It’s been good so far.

“I think we just need to improve on our starts at home. We need to start a little quicker and try to get the lead on home ice. We just need to keep working hard and the results will show with the skill we have. We’ve got to be getting on the right side of pucks, doing the right things, and maintaining a high compete level.”

#### STATS

- With two goals tonight, **Peter Cehlarik** has scored 13 times this season, topping his total of 12 from last season. Tonight marked his ninth multi-point game of the year.
- **Trent Frederic** collected two assists for his eighth multi-point game of the season. He now has 25 points on the season, tying his career high set last season.
- **Brett Ritchie** added one assist and has collected three points (2G, 1A) in six games with Providence this season.
- **Cooper Zech** recorded his eighth assist of the season with his helper on Cehlarik’s second goal.