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San Diego State Head Coach Brian Dutcher

Opening Statement:

"It's a quick turnaround for us. We got back yesterday from Logan, got to the arena, probably about 1:30 p.m., did not go on the floor just to film work from our game against Utah State and then watched (UNLV) film. This will be a one-day prep, basically because it's an early game on Saturday. So, we'll put all our energy into practice today, to play a much-improved UNLV team. They've won four of their last five games: two of them on the road. So, they have our full attention. We're going to have to play well to get a victory."

On the balance in the conference:

"UNLV has wins at New Mexico and home against Nevada. So, every team is dangerous in this conference. Fresno State is playing it better. Obviously, UNLV is playing better and those are our next two opponents. So, we can't sit there and go 'because they're not up at the top of the standings, they're not dangerous.' If we don't play well, they can beat us. I've said all year, we have to play well to win. We can't play poorly and win a game. So, we're going to have to play well in order to come out of tomorrow's game as a victory."

San Diego State Senior Forward Jaedon LeDee

On what he expects from UNLV:

"I think they are going to play really hard. When we played them at their place, they played really hard. They can come out here really competing, so we got to come with it. Those games (vs. Boise State and at Utah State) were big wins but it's behind us. You know if we look back at it we might slip up so you know who's going to take the challenge as we go."

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