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NCHC Frozen Faceoff Semifinal 2

March 16, 2018 - Xcel Energy Center, Saint Paul, Minn.

UMD Head Coach Scott Sandelin

On team's struggle to convert on power play at beginning of third:

"We had opportunities to get the puck on the net, but we didn't come up the rink with enough speed. So we didn't execute, we had opportunities to get the pucks there and we didn't."

On team's frustrating late game penalties:

"I was very disappointed in the penalties. It was a one goal game, you gotta learn. That's what's frustrating about that. It's about the team, it comes first."

Junior Forward Peter Krieger

On team's second period opportunities:

"I think just taking care of the D-Zone, first off. They're a very good offensive team that like to maintain the puck, which at times makes it difficult to get offense going, so I think we were responsible in the D-Zone which allowed us to get those offensive opportunities, those second and third chances, although it wasn't consistent enough."

Senior Forward Jared Thomas

On Denver's strong backchecking:

"I thought we did a pretty well job at breaking the puck at times, we got a couple odd man rushes. They backcheck so hard, we'd get the puck in the zone and it'd all be covered so it was kinda hard to get a good line rush or get a good chance off the line rush."