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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHARLESTON, IL--Two Eastern Illinois University basketball recruits, Kevin Duckworth and J. T. Coleman, will participate in a televised ^{CHICAGO} all-star game that can be viewed in Charleston Saturday (April 10).

These two will compete in the City-Suburban All-Star game which will be telecast live at 6 p.m. Saturday (April 10) by WGN-TV. That is Channel 9 on the Liberty TV Cable system.

They will play for the suburban team that meets the city squad in a prelim to the highly publicized McDonald's Prep All-American game at the Rosemont Horizon.

Duckworth, a 6-11 center from Thornridge HS, is the tallest player ever to commit to EIU. He averaged 19 points, 9.5 rebounds and was named IBCA Fourth Team All-State, Chicago Sun-Times All-State and all-conference.

Coleman, 6-6 forward from Bloom Trail, was the Most Valuable Player of the SICA North Conference and honorable mention all-stater by the Associated Press, Chicago Sun-Times and Champaign News-Gazette.

Both are expected to sign a national letter of intent on signing day, Wednesday (April 14).