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Background study and preliminary amplitude analysis results for  $\gamma p \to \eta^{'} \pi^0 p$  at GlueX RUPESH DOTEL, Florida International University — GlueX experiment at Hall-D in Jefferson Lab uses tagged photon beam with linear polarization peaking around 9 GeV on a liquid hydrogen target to study the spectrum of conventional mesons and search hybrid mesons. The spectrometer is designed to have an almost  $4\pi$  acceptance and good efficieny especially suited to study multiparticle final states in both charged and neutral mode. This talk will report on the analysis of  $\gamma p \to \eta^{'} \pi^0 p$  focusing on the background systematics underneath  $\eta^{'}$  signal and preliminary results from amplitude analysis of  $\eta^{'} \pi^0$  invariant mass.

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