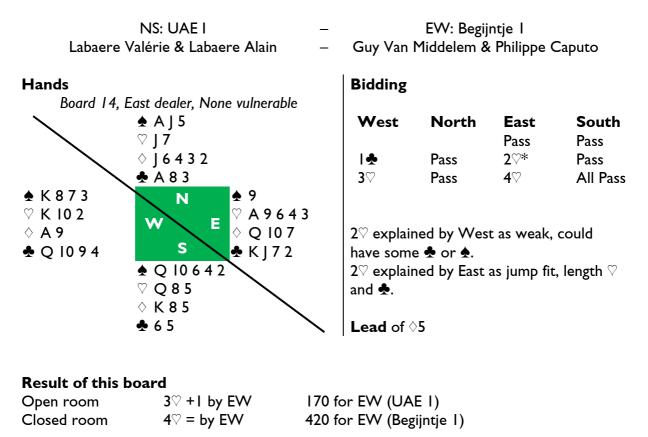
Ruling Begijntje I vs. UAE I

RBBF Honour Division – Round 2 (03/10/2015) Closed Room



Balance

+6 IMPs for Begijntje I

Facts

After play, NS discover a difference in explanation on both sides of the screen. The TD is called.

South claims that, when given the correct explanation, he would lead a spade.

According to the system used by EW, the correct explanation would be "jump fit".

Ruling

South, on lead, has received the wrong explanation of the hand (according to the system) by West.

It is too late to change the last call of the non-offending side. According to L21B3 the Director can award an adjusted score if he judges that the offending side gained an advantage from the irregularity.

After consulting 3 other players from the Honour Division, of which 2 claim they would lead spade without a doubt, and I says \Diamond , maybe \clubsuit , it is safe to assume that \bigstar would be the most probable lead.

With a spade lead, 4° would probably go -1.

Decision

The adjusted score on this board would then become:Open room $3\heartsuit$ +1 by EW170 for EW (UAE I)Closed room $4\heartsuit$ -1 by EW50 for NS (UAE I)

Balance

+6 IMPs for UAE I

Both teams have the right to appeal to this decision, according to chapter 9 from the national regulations regarding team games.

October 3rd, 2015 Leuven

Martijn Verstraelen TD assigned by the RBBF