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| **DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING** |  | LEADS AND SIGNALS |  | W B F CONVENTION CARD |
| **OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)** | **OPENING LEADS STYLE** |  |
| On level 1 : good hand in suit, almost opening or more |  | Lead | In Partner’s Suit | **CATEGORY: National 2B** |
| On level 2 : opening, at least good hand or 6crd+ | Suit | attitude | count | **NCBO:**  |
|  | NT | attitude | count | **PLAYERS:**  |
| After overcall of opponents on our 1NT : rubensohl | Subseq |  |  |  **De Pauw Bob 18698** |
|  | Other: |  **Peeters Ivan 25852** |
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| **1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)** | LEADS | SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| 16-18 responses as on 1NT | Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT |
| 4th hand 10-14 with stop, responses natural | Ace | Asking echo | Top of sequence | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
|  | King | Asking count | Top of sequence | Major 5 Diamond 4 |
|  | Queen | Top of sequence | Top of sequence |  |
|  | Jack | Top of sequence | Top of sequence |  1NT = 15-17 5-crd major possible |
| **JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)**  | 10 |  |  |  2 over 1 : forcing for one round |
| 1-Suit: weak, responses natural | 9 |  |  |  |
| 2-Suit: Ghestem = cue bid : 2 extreme suits , 3 ♣ = two highest remaining suits, 2NT = 2 lowest remaining suits | Hi-X |  |  |  |
|  | Lo-X |  |  |  |
| Reopen: to play | SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY |  |
| **DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)** |  | Partner’s Lead | Declarer’s Lead | Discarding | SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE |
| Jump cue over opening is asking for stop | 1 | Low enc. | count | Italian - lavinthal |  2 Clubs : SF or weak 6+ diamonds |
|  | Suit 2 |  |  |  |  2 Diamonds multi |
|  | 3 |  |  |  |  Muiderberg |
|  | 1 | Low enc. | count | Italian - lavinthal |  |
| **VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)** | NT 2 |  |  |  |  |
| Multi landy = | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| 2 clubs = majors | Signals (including Trumps):  |  |
| 2NT = minors |  |  |
| 2 diamonds = multi (6crd major) |  |  |
| 2 major = muiderberg | DOUBLES |  |
| X = penalty |  |
| **VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)** | **TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)** |  |
| Negative double up to 4Harts . | Negative double up to 4 harts : exception in competitive biddings |  |
| 2NT over 2H/S 16-18 with stop, answer puppet |  |  |
| After 2H/S double : Lebensohl |  |  |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |  | SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| Vs 1Club strong dbl for majors, 1NT for minors, 1 suit = 5+crd | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS |  |
|  | Lead doubles |  |
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| OVER OPPONENTS’ DOUBLE |  | IMPORTANT NOTES |
| If informative : Rdbl interested for penalty, support weak |  |  |
| If penalty after 1 NT : XX = weak with 5crd ; color = weak with 2 following suits ; pas = penalty or weak with 2 suits, not following |  |  |
|  |  | **PSYCHICS: very rare** |

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| **OPENING** |  **TICK IF****ARTIFICIAL**  | **MIN. NO. OF CARDS** |  |
| **DESCRIPTION** | **RESPONSES** | **SUBSEQUENT ACTION** | **COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING** |
| 1♣ |  | 2 |  | Natural / Inverted minor / T-Walsh  | T-walsh – all answers in transfer and may hide longer diamonds. Answers : 1x = 3-card support, 2x = 4-card support, …Roudi / after 1Cl-1x-2NT: 3Cl asking | Two-way-checkback after 1x-1x-1x : 2 cl = limit or weak with diamonds / 2 diamonds = M-forcing |
| 1♦ |  | 4 | naturel | Natural / Inverted minor | Roudi / after 1D-1x-2NT: 3Cl asking |  |
| 1♥ |  | 5 | natural | With 3-crd support : 2♦ = 5-7 ; 2♥ = 8-10Bergen raises with 4 crd+ support : 3♥ = 0-6 ; 3♣ = 7-9; 3♦ = 10-11; 2 NT = 12+ | On 2NT: 3-level short-3H strong-4 level 5 crd |  |
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| INT |  |  | 15-17 balanced/5-crd major possible | 2Cl Stayman relay, can be weak / 2D,H,S and 2NT: Jacoby and minor transfers / 3cl = 10+ and puppet4Cl ace asking /4NT quantitatif | When refusing transfer on 2♠ and 2NT : support and at least one top card. |  |
| 2♣ | yes | 0 | Semi strong or weak with 6+ diamonds | 2 diamonds = relay or pass | 2NT = 22-23, suit = 8-9 strokesAfter 2NT : puppet |  |
| 2♦ | yes | 0 | Game force or weak 2M | 2H relay /2S can support 3H / 3 and 4H convert.3S can support 4H /4S to play / 2NT asking | On 2NT 3Cl = H mini; 3D = S mini ; major = maxi with other major |  |
| 2♥ |  | 5 | Muiderberg | Single raise pre-empt / 2NT asking minor and strength; 3♣ = preference minor; 2♠ = to play |  |  |
| 2♠ |  | 5 | Muiderberg | Single raise pre-empt / 2NT asking minor and strength; 3♣ = preference minor; other suits = to play |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  | 20-21 balanced,also w. 5crd M | puppet |  |  |
| 3♣ |  | 6-7 | Pre-empt |  |  |  |
| 3♦ |  | 7 | Pre-empt |  |  |  |
| 3♥ |  | 7 | Pre-empt |  |  |  |
| 3♠ |  | 7 | Pre-empt |  |  |  |
| 3NT |  | 8-9 | Long solid minor | 4Cl negative /4D strong |  |  |
| 4♣ |  | 8+ | Pre-empt |  |  |  |
| 4♦ |  | 8+ | Pre-empt |  |  |  |
| 4♥ |  | 8+ |  |  |  |  |
| 4♠ |  | 8+ |  |  |  |  |
| 4NT |  | 5 - 5 | Pre-empt 2 minors |  |  |  |
| 5♣ |  |  | To play |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |
| 5♦ |  |  | To play |  | Roman keycards – 41/30 |
|  |  |  |  |  | Exclusion BW |
|  |  |  |  |  | Dopi-ropi |