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| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING |  | LEADS AND SIGNALS |  |  WBF Convention Card |
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| **OVERCALLS (Style, Responses, ½ Level, Reopening)** |  | OPENING LEADS AND SIGNALS |  |  |
| **Style:** natural, on 1 level (can be 4 cards) |  |   | Lead | In Partners’ suit |  |  **Category:**   |
| **Responses:** cue=good support with defence values, cue on 3-level  |  | Suit  | 1st/3rd/5th | count |  | **NBO (Country):** Belgium |
| good 4+ support, jump fits |  | NT | 4rd with H // 1st or 2nd  |  |  | **Event:** TEAMS II |
| **Reopening:** natural |  | Subseq  | ATT: small promises |  |  | **Players:** Luc De Schrijver -- Herman De Schrijver  |
| **1NT OVERCALL (2nd /4th Live; Responses, Reopening)** |  | Other: |  |  |  |  11076 10010  |
| **2nd position:** 15-17 |  |  |  | SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| **Responses:** 1 NT 🡪 system on |  | L E A D S |  | Majors 5 cards, longest m |
|  |  | **Lead** | vs. Suit | vs. NT |  | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE: |
| **4th position:** 11-14 H |  | Ace | AKx(, Ax(+) | AKx(+), AKQJ |  | Natural |
| **Responses:** system  |  | King | KQJ(+),KQ(+) | AKJ10(+), KQ+J or 109 |  |  |
|  |  | Queen | QJx(+), Qx, QJ10 | KQxx, QJ10, QJ9xx |  |  |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style, Responses, Unusual NT) |  | Jack | J10x, Jx | (A/K)J109x, (A/K)J10xxx |  |  |
| **Style:** weak |  | 10 | 109xx, 10x | A109+,K109+,109xx |  |  |
| **Responses:** |  | 9 | 98xx, 9x |  |  |  |
| **Unusual notrump:** 2 NT: lowest remaining suits (5/5+) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Reopening:**  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY |  | SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE |
|  |  |  | Partner’s Lead | Declarer’s Lead | Discarding |  | **Openings:** |
| **DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style, Resp., Reopening)** |  | Suit:1ST | Low = enc | Count(Hi=even) | Hi=enc Lo=Neg |  | 2♣ = SEMI-F or GF WITH TWO-SUITER ♥+ other  |
| **Style:** Michaëls cue-bid |  |  2ND | Count (Hi=even) |  | Count (Hi=even) |  | 2♥/♠ = weak |
|  |  |  3RD |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Responses:** best fit |  | NT: 1ST | Low = enc  | Count(Hi=even) | Hi=enc Lo=Neg |  |  |
| **Reopening:** Michaëls |  |  2ND | Count (Hi=even) |  | Count (Hi=even) |  |  |
|  |  |  3RD |  |  |  |  |  |
| **VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)** |  |  |  | **Defense:** |
| **Strong :** Multi Landy 2nd hand // 4th Landy + others natural |  |  |  |  |
| **Weak :** Multi Landy : idem |  |  |  | Multi Landy against 1 NT in 2nd hand, Landy in 4th |
| **Reopening** |  | DOUBLES |  | Michaëls Cuebid |
| **Passed Hand:** same as above |  |  |  | SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
|  |  | **TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style, Responses, Reopening)** |  |  |
| **VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles, Cue-bids, Jumps, NT bids)** |  | **Style:** 11HP+ after opening 1♣/♦/♥/♠ |  |  |
|  |  |  Supervalues after (range of) strength has been shown. |  |  |
| 3-level: double is takeout |  | **Responses:** natural // cue-bid |  |  |
|  |  | **Reopening:** 9+ HP |  | IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DOESN’T FIT ELSEWHERE |
|  |  |  |  | Rubensohl after interference on 1NT |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS |  | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES |  |  |
| **vs strong** 1♣ : double = black suits, 1 NT = red suits |  | Double of conventional bid is lead directing. |  |  |
|  |  | Double of 3NT asks lead in 1st natural named suit of dummy. |  |  |
| OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKE OUT DOUBLE |  |  |  |  |
| New suit=F1; RDBL=forcing (11 HP+). |  |  |  |  |
| Bergen raises (unopposed bidding) |  |  |  | **Psychics:** very rare |
| Opening | **Artificial** | **Min.** | **Neg.****Double** | **Description** | **Response** | **Subsequent Auction** | **Passed Hand Bidding** |
| 1♣ |  | 3 | 4♥ |  |  |  |  |
| 1♦ |  | 3 | 4♥ |  |  | . |  |
| 1♥/♠ |  | 5 | 4♦ |  | 2NT = forcing with fit ♥/♠, Bergen raises (3♣ = 7-9HP, 4crd / 3♦= limit)3♥/♠ = weak 4-c support | other suit 3 level = sgton/void bid 4 level =5/5 3NT = strong (17)18-19  |  |
| 1NT |  |  | On 2 if 2 suits3level | 15-17HP balanced 5-card poss. | 2♣: Stayman (can be weak, does not promise 4-card M) 2♦/♥:transfer, 2♠: transfer ♣ ; 2NT transfer ♦ 3♦/♥ : transfer, strong 16+ 3♠ : both minors4♣,4♦: both majors (Slem? // GF) |  After 2♦/♥ 2NT fit 3-c with honours, jump with 4-c fit  |   |
| 2♣ |  | 0 | 4♠ | 8/9 tricks or GF ♥ + another or 2NT 22-23 | 2♥/♠ 5- cards with 2 or 1 ½ topH; 3♣/♦ id 6 cards |  |  |
| 2♦ |  | 0 |  | GF | 2♥: relay 2♠ 5- cards with 2 or 1 ½ topH; 3♣/♦/♥ id 6 cards  | 2 |  |
| 2♥/♠ |  | 5 |  | Weak (5)6cards | 2NT = asking for strength 3♣ = asking for sgton  | 3 other color = shows Honor + max |  |
| 2NT |  |  |  | 20-21 | Puppet |  |  |
| 3X |  | (6)7 |  | preëmpting |  |  |  |
| 3NT | X |  |  | Gambling, 7+m  | 4♣ asks to pass or correct |  |  |
| 4♣/♦/♥/♠ | X | (7)8 |  | Preëmpting |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Roman key card asking (30-14-2-2+Q)Mixed controls |