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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** | | | | | |  |
| Natural: Level one 5 crds and 8+; Level two 10+ (5)6 crds |  | | Lead | | In Partner’s Suit | | **CATEGORY: National III** |
| Responses: natural and fit showing;1NT=9-12;2NT=13-15 w. stop | Suit | | Small promess.;Top of seq. | | Small promess. | | **NCBO: Forum 2** |
|  | NT | | Small promess.;Top of seq. | |  | | **PLAYERS: Aelbers Francis 22983**  **Delang Marc 21018** |
|  | Subseq | | All open leads not strictly | | All open leads not strictly | |  |
|  | Other: | | | | | |  |
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| **1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)** | LEADS | | | | | | SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| 15-18 responses same as 1NT w. passed opponent, otherwise nat. | Lead | | Vs. Suit | | Vs. NT | |
| 4th hand 10-14 with stop and response same as1NT; if passed before | Ace | | Top of sequence or Ax | | Top of sequence | | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
| natural. | King | | Top of sequence | | Top of sequence | | Major 5 and longest minor = 3+ |
|  | Queen | | Top of sequence | | Top of sequence | | 1NT = 15-17 also w. 5 crd major |
|  | Jack | | same | | same | | 2 ♣ = Strong Semi or Game Forcing |
| **JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)** | 10 | | same | | same | | 2♦; 2♥; 2♠ = Weak 6 crd |
| Ghestem =2NT and 3♣ 5/5 crds Lowest and Highest colors | 9 | | same | |  | | 2NT = 20-22 |
| 2♥ and 2♠ weak 6(7) crds | 8 | | Mostly not interested | |  | |  |
| 3♦;3♥;3♠ weak 7(8) crds | Lo-X | | Mostly interested | |  | |  |
| Reopen: | 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 |
| Cue Bid Ghestem | 1 | Lo-Hi | | Count | | Italian/Lavinthal | Vs: 1x Info Dbl en Ghestem |
|  | Suit 2 |  | |  | |  | Vs: 2♥♠ weak and Muiderberg; natural; Cue Bid=minors; Dbl |
|  | 3 |  | |  | |  | 4♣ and 4♦ = World convention |
|  | 1 | Lo-Hi | | Count | | Italian/lavinthal | Vs: 1 NT DONT |
| **VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)** | NT 2 |  | |  | |  | Vs: 3NT Gambling |
| DONT : Dbl=6+crd answer 2♣ if weak, Pas if strong | 3 |  | |  | |  | Respons 2♣/3♣ = Puppet Stayman after opening 1NT /2NT |
| 2♣ = 4+♣ w. 4+♥ or 4+♠ (Resp 2♦ = 5♦ & #♥=#♠) | Signals (including Trumps): | | | | | |  |
| 2♦ = 4+♦ w. 4+♥ or 4+♠ | Count : high low is even | | | | | |  |
| 2♥ = 4+♥ w. 4+♠ |  | | | | | |  |
| 2♠ = 6+♠ | DOUBLES | | | | | |  |
| 2NT=5+♣ w. 5+♦ |  |
| **VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)** | **TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)** | | | | | |  |
| Vs 2♥/♠ weak 2NT=15-18 ; 2♠ or 3x natural 11+ | Style: natural 12+ and Negative double up to 4 Hearts; 18+ always | | | | | |  |
| Dbl=Take out. (Resp) 2NT=0-7HDP anr rebid 3♣;otherwise 18+ | 4Th hand 8+ and 15+ always | | | | | |  |
| World convention 4♣/♦= 5+ w. 5 crd M’; Cue Bid 5/5 minors |  | | | | | |  |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |  | | | | | | SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| Dbl Vs artificial biddings asks lead | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS | | | | | | 3♣ Schön=Cheque Back after 1x -1y- 2NT=18-19 |
| x = competitive bid | Lead Doubles | | | | | |  |
|  | Support Dbl | | | | | |  |
| OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKEOUT DOUBLE |  | | | | | | IMPORTANT NOTES |
| Rdbl = > 8HP interested for penalty; support weak |  | | | | | | 4NT Blackwood 4 Aces 30-41; w. 2 5♥/♠/5NT 03-14-2 Kings |
| Otherwise natural and NF level 1 4+ level 2 5+ |  | | | | | | 5NT Blackwood Kings 30-41-2; 4♣ Berger; Excl BW |
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| **OPENING** | **TICK IF**  **ARTIFICIAL** | **MIN. NO. OF CARDS** | **NEG.DBL THRU** |  | | | |
| **DESCRIPTION** | **RESPONSES** | **SUBSEQUENT ACTION** | **COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING** |
| 1♣ |  | 3 |  | 11-19HP | 2♣=5+crd 6-9HP; 3♣=5+crd 10-11HP | natural |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1NT=6-9HP; 1y=4crd 6+HP RF |  |  |
| 1♦ |  | 3 |  | 11-19HP | same | natural |  |
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| 1♥ |  | 5 |  | 11-19HP | 2♥=6-8 3crd;2NT=10-11w. 3; 3♣=10-11 w.4crds | After 2NT is 3x asking for Ace or King in x | **\*\*** 2♣=11+ or 9 w.3crd |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3♦=8-9 w.4crds;3♥=4-7w.4crd;4♥=5-8 w.5crds **\*\*** | With A or K 4♥/4♠otherwise 3 level, not NT | w. 5crd 2♦and not 2♣ |
| 1♠ |  | 5 |  | 11-19HP | Same **\*\*** |  | **\*\*** same w.5crd 2♦or 2♥ not 2♣ |
| INT |  |  | DONT | 15-17HP any 5crd possible | 2♣ puppet; 2♦♥♠=transfer; 4♣=Berger | If overcall: Dbl Rdbl=penalty; 2x Dbl=penalt |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 4NT= 15-16; 4♦= 5/5♥♠ | 2x 2y to play;2NT=9H;3NT=10+H;3♣=pupp | 3♦/3♥=transfer ♥/♠ |
| 2♣ | X | 0 |  | 23+HP or 8+ tricks | \*Aces: 2♦=weak<8HP, 0 ace;2NT=8+HP or 2King |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Asking aces\* | 2♥=1 red;2♠=1black;3♣=2Aces;3♦=2Ace+1King |  |  |
| 2♦ |  | 6(7) |  | <12 | 2NT=strong | Common sence |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2♥ |  | 6(7) |  | <12 | 2NT=strong | Mini/Maxi 3♣/3♦ = Mini;3♥/3♠ =Maxi |  |
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| 2♠ |  | 6(7) |  | <12 | 2NT=strong | Mini/Maxi same |  |
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| 2NT |  |  |  | 20-22HP; if single Ace or King | 3♣ puppet; 3♦/♥♠=transfer; 4♣=Gerber |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 5-4-2-2 and single possible, | 4NT =11-12; 4♦=5/5♥♠ |  |  |
| 3♣ | X | 7(+) |  | PRE | Natural ; Dbl asks best color |  |  |
| 3♦ | X | 7(+) |  | PRE | Natural ; id |  |  |
| 3♥ | X | 7(+) |  | PRE | Natural ; id |  |  |
| 3♠ | X | 7(+) |  | PRE | Natural ; id |  |  |
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| 3NT |  | 7(+) |  | AKQxxxx ♣ or♦ | Pas; 4♣ to play 4♣/♦; 4♦ to play 5♣/♦ |  |  |
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| 4♣ |  | 8(+) |  | PRE | Natural ; Dbl asks best color | natural |  |
| 4♦ |  | 8(+) |  | PRE | id | id |  |
| 4♥ |  | 8(+) |  | PRE |  | id |  |
| 4♠ |  | 8(+) |  | PRE | Dbl = penalty | id |  |
| 4NT |  | 6/6 ♣♦ |  |  | Best minor |  |  |
| 5♣ |  | (9+) |  | PRE |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING | |
| 5♦ |  | 9(+) |  | PRE |  |  | |
| 5♥ |  | 9(+) |  | PRE |  |  | |
| 5♠ |  | 9(+) |  | PRE |  |  | |
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