

| OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Open. | Artif. | Min. | Neg. ! | Description | Responses | Subsequent Auction |
| 18 | Y | 0 | 4. | 17+ DHP all distributions | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \star=0-6,1 \star=7-9,1 \star=10-11,1 \text { NTand } 2 \star=12-13, \\ & 2 \star=13+ \end{aligned}$ | search for distribution |
| 1* | Y | 0 | 3 A | 11-15 DHP no 5crd Major | jump $=$ SF, $2 \boldsymbol{e}=\mathrm{GF}$, overcall $=\mathrm{NF}$ | search for distribution |
| $1 \stackrel{1}{*}$ | N | 5 | 3a | 12-16 DHP + 5crd $\downarrow$ | jump $=$ SF, $2 \boldsymbol{*}=\mathrm{F}(9+)$, overcall $=\mathrm{NF}$ | search for distribution |
| 14 | N | 5 | 3 | 12-16 DHP + 5crd | jump $=$ SF, $2=\mathrm{F}(9+$ ), overcall $=\mathrm{NF}$ | search for distribution |
| 1NT | N |  |  | 15-16 HP no 5crd Major | 20 NF Stayman, transfers | search for distribution |
| 26 | Y | 0 | 3 | 5-10 DHP + 5,4 Major | $2 \star=$ choose M if weak else $3 \stackrel{\sim}{*}, 2 \boldsymbol{*}, 2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=$ NF, $2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{F}$ |  |
|  |  | 6 | 3 | 14-16 DHP + 6crd en, no 3crd M(mostly) |  | $3 \mathrm{NT}=5 \downarrow+5$ + 8 -10DHP, 3 - $=15-16+6 \mathrm{crd} \boldsymbol{*}$ |
| 2 | Y | 0 |  | 6-10 DHP + 6crd Major | $2 \boldsymbol{*}$ = choose M if weak else $3 \downarrow 2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{F}$ |  |
|  |  | 6 |  | 14-16 DHP + 6crd $\downarrow$, no 3crd M(mostly) | $2 \boldsymbol{*}$ SF if weak with $6 \varphi$ | 3 = $15-16 \mathrm{DHP}+6 \mathrm{crd}$ |
| 2 | N | 5 |  | 6-10 DHP + 5 +4 crd minor | $2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{F}, 3 \uparrow=12-15 \mathrm{DHP}+$ support $\boldsymbol{\bullet}, 3 \boldsymbol{\downarrow}$ asks for minor |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2. | N | 5 |  | 6-10 DHP + 5 +4 crd minor | $2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{F}, 3=12-15 \mathrm{DHP}+$ support , 3 asks for minor |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2NT | Y |  |  | Long weak in ${ }^{\text {2 }}$ | common sense | common sense |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 38 | Y |  |  | Long weak in * | common sense | common sense |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Y |  |  | Long weak in $\downarrow$ | common sense | common sense |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $3 \times$ | Y |  |  | Long weak in | common sense | common sense |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3. | Y |  |  | 5,5 minors | common sense | common sense |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3NT | Y |  |  | Gambling | common sense | common sense |
|  | $4{ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 4 | N | 6 |  | defensive strength | common sense | common sense |
|  | N | 6 |  | defensive strength | common sense | common sense |
| 4N | Y |  |  | 6-5 or 6-6 minor, defensive strength | common sense | common sense |
| 5\% |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5a |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5NT |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4* asks for Aces: $4 \uparrow=0$ or 3, $4 \boldsymbol{\bullet}=1$ or 4, $4 \boldsymbol{\sim}=2$ of different colour, $4 \mathrm{ZT}=2$ of same colour |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5\$ asks for Kings: see answers 4* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DOPI-ROPI |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Splinter |  |  |  |  |  |  |

