## DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening) Natural - aggressive NV vs VUL otherwise sound : Good 4 card suit
possible at 1 level but normally 5 cards 2 level overcalls expect 6 cards

## Responses : Jump raise pre-emptive ; CB shows fit and values

 Change of suit natural| 1NT OVERCALL $\left(\mathbf{2}^{\text {nd }} / \mathbf{4}^{\text {th }}\right.$ Live; Responses; Reopening) |
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| $2^{2^{\text {dd }} 15-18 \text { system on }}$ |
| $4^{\text {th }} 10-14$ system on |
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JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak Jump overcalls quality according to vulnerability 2NT - both minors 5-5 expected

Reopen: Intermediate
DIRECT \& JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
DIRECT CB of a m is 5-5 Majors
DIRECT CB of a M is 5 of other M plus 5 m

| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) |
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$2 \mathrm{C}=$ Majors ( 5-4 expected 0
2D $=$ single M respond 2 H then $\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C}$
$2 \mathrm{M}=5-4 \mathrm{Mm}$
2NT = Minors 5-5 or big 2 suiter

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
Takeout Dble; CB strong 2 suiter ; other bids natural

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. $1 *$ or $2 *$

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Raises pre-emptive ; rdble 9+ no fit;1NT 7-10 BAL; 2NT sound raise to 3 of suit ; new suit F1;


W B F CONVENTION CARD

## CATEGORY: GREEN

NCBO: SCOTLAND
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EVENT
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
5 card majors - better minor
Weak 2D/2H/2S
2/1 GF
1NT opening 15-17
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE

LEBENSOHL after interventions over our 1NT opening;OPPS weak 2 bids ie $2 \mathrm{H}-\mathrm{dbl}-\mathrm{P}-2 \mathrm{NT}$ is LEBENSHOL

Also use LEBENSOHL over openers reverse ie 1D-P-1S-P-2H 2NT is LEBENSOHL . All other continuations are FG

FSF to game
Checkback Stayman over 1x-1y - 1NT :2C INV and 2D GF
Also over 1x-1y-2NT:3C is Checkback

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| ${ }_{14}$ |  | ${ }^{3}$ | 4D | ${ }^{10-21 \mathrm{no} 5 \text { crd M }}$ | Inverted : 2C GF | Over $1 \mathrm{~m}-2 \mathrm{~m} ; 2 \mathrm{~N} \mathrm{12-14} \mathrm{BAL;} \mathrm{3m} \mathrm{weak}$ unbalanced, 2new suit NAT may only be 3 card suit |  |
|  |  | 3 | 4 D | $10-21$ no 5 crdM | Inverted : 2D GF | As for 1C |  |
| 10 |  | ${ }^{5}$ | 4D | 10-21 natural | 2C either 3crd+ C and GF or $3^{\text {crd }} \mathrm{M}$ support 11-12 Other 2 bids GF 2NT Jacoby <br> 3C 4 crd raise 6-9 ; 3D 4crd raise BAL 10-11 3 H pre-empt raise ; 3S splinter GF ; 3NT void in other M | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Over 2C-2D asks and } 2 \mathrm{M} \text { is } 10-11 \text { limit } \\ & \text { raise } \\ & \text { Over } 2 \mathrm{NT} ; 3 \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{D} / \mathrm{S} \text { singleton or void; } 3 \mathrm{H} \\ & \text { good opening bid (CB continuations); } 3 \mathrm{NT} \\ & 12-14 \mathrm{BAL} ; 4 \mathrm{~m} 5-5 \mathrm{H}-\mathrm{m} 4 \mathrm{H} \text { weak } \\ & \text { unbalanced } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 14 |  | 5 | 4D | 10-21 natural | As to 15 except 3 S weak and 3H splinter | As for 1 Hexpr ex 3 CD/H singleton or void 3 S good opene |  |
| INT |  |  | n/a | 15-17 | 2C $4 / 5$ crd Stayman ; 4 suit transfers; 3 bids single suited slam try; 3N to play ; 4C Gerber ; 4NT quant | Over $2 \mathrm{H} / 2 \mathrm{~S}$ break to 3 M is 4 M MIN break to new suit 4 M MAX plus feature in suit ; | 1NT-2C-2NT/3C 3D asks for Re-transfer over transfer break |
| 2* |  | 0 | n/a | GF | 2 trelay | 2NT $23+$ | System on |
| $2 \cdot$ |  | ${ }^{5}$ | n/a | Weak 5-9 | 3D/4D//5D pre-empt or to make ; 2 new suit Fl; 2NT enquiry | Over 2NT 3 suit Hi card feature MAX ; 3D MIN |  |
| 2 V |  | 5 | n/a | Weak 5-9 | As for 2D | As for 2D except 3H MIN |  |
| 2 A |  | 5 | n/a | Weak 5-9 | As for 2D | As for 22 except 35 MIN |  |
| ${ }^{2 N T}$ |  |  | n/a | 20-22 BAL |  S/H ; 3NT to play; 4m slam try; 4M to play ; 4NT quant | Over 3C-3D hhows 4M ; 3M 5 card major, 3NT no 4 or 5 M |  |
| 34 |  | ${ }^{6}$ | n/a | PREEMPT Aggressive NV v Vul othervise sound | Raise pre-empt or to make ; new suit F1 3NT to play |  |  |
| 3 |  | 6 | n/a | As above | As above |  |  |
| $3 \cdot$ |  | 6 | n/a | As above | As above |  |  |
| 3 A |  | 6 | n/a | As above | As above |  |  |
| 3NT |  | 7 | n/a | Solid minor with no outside A | 4C/IS P/C; 4D SEEKS CB |  |  |
| $4 *$ |  | 7 | n/a | PREEMPT |  |  |  |
|  |  | 7 | n/a | ${ }^{\text {PREEMPT }}$ |  |  |  |
| $\left.\right\|_{4 \wedge} ^{4 v}$ |  | 7 | n/a | PREEMPT PREEMPT |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4}{ }^{4} \mathrm{~T}$ |  |  |  | Specific Ace ask | $5 \mathrm{C}=05 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{Ace}$ of C |  |  |
| ${ }_{5}$ |  | 8 | n/a | PREEMPT |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |  |
|  |  | 8 | n/a | PREEMPT |  | RKCB 5C 1 or $4 ; 5 \mathrm{D} 0$ or $3 ; 5 \mathrm{H} 2$ or $5 ; 5 \mathrm{~S} 2$ or 5 with Q trumps CB shows singleton or void, bid up the line - if we don't bid it we haven't got it Splinters |  |
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