## **AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE** 4. BASIC RESPONSES FEDERATION LTD. Jump raises - minors to 1♣ weak to 1♦ 6-9 STANDARD SYSTEM CARD Jump raises - Majors weak ABF Nos. 330167 Tony Nunn Jump shifts after minor opening to 2M 3-7 & Names: 599069 Paul Dalley Jump shifts after Major opening ART GF raise/ART inv raise/Nat invite Basic System: 2/1 with transfer responses to 1♣ Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2 waiting Classification: Green Red X Brown Sticker Blue | | Yellow simple stay/tfrs/3♠=minor suit stayman 4x = 2 under tfrs Responses to 2NT opening 1. OPENING BIDS Describe strength, min.length, or specific meaning Canapé 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS 1 2(1)+ 11-14[13-15] Bal or Natural 1 5+ Versus Suit Versus **NoTrump** (if different) (or both) Show priorities 1♦ 2(1)+ 18-19[16-19] Bal or Natural Unbal 1♠ 5+ Overlead, may u'lead for unbloed **Leads** Sequences: Overlead **1NT** (14)-17 Bal [(8)-12 1/2 FAV] may contain 5 card Major Four or more with an honour 3/low Attitude 1NT Responses 2♣ Simple Stayman 3rd Top/2nd From 4 small 2 H [F 2H, 5+H Inv+ or 5+S GF] 2♠ C or Range Probe [to play] Top/2nd 3rd From 3 cards (no honour) 2NT D [F3C, C or D GF] 2 S [to play] In partner's suit same other [2C C or 2+suits w/o C, others nat] (Dbl) System on, XX forces 2♣ (str nt) **Discards** low encourage low encourage 2 Game Force or 23-24 Bal Count reverse reverse low encourage low encourage 2♦ weak, 5/6 ♦ **Signal** on partner's lead: Signal on declarer's lead: rev count. some s/p(NT) s/p in trumps 2♥ weak, 5/6 ♥ 2♠ weak 5/6 ♠ **Notes** 3NT Gambling 2NT (19)20-22 Bal other 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS 4. Gerber 2. PRE-ALERTS We open 1C with all 11-14 bal. may occ. Transfer responses to 1♣ **4NT:** Blackwood **X** RKCB 1430 have a 5M, maybe 3352 Cue Bids X Low level transfers in comp. auctions Asking Bids [ Very light preempts at fav. vulnerability Mini-NT 1/2 Seat FAV 3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS **Doubles Support Doubles and Redoubles** Negative DBL thru 4S Drury by Passed hand Responsive DBL thru **4S** Jump overcalls weak (1♣) 2♦ Michaels Unusual NT Lower unbid suits 1NT overcall: (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 14-16 Immediate cue: (minor) (1♣) 2♣ Nat. (1♦) 2♦ Michaels (Major) Michaels Over: Weak Twos X + lebensohl Opening Threes X = T/Owww.abf.com.au Opponent's transfers X = t/o at 1-level. lead directing at higher levels PDF Form Rev. 21E29 by RoL Opponent's 1NT 2♣= majors, 2♦ = 1 Major, 2M = M + m MyRev. Copyright © ABF 2021

## 8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

1 🖧	1 🍁	4+♥	2	Nat GF single suited	3	Nat. preempt
		4+♠	2	3-7	3	
		no major/GF 5+♦4+M		3-7	3 <b>♠</b>	Nat preempt
	_	11-12		Nat GF	3NT	
	2♣	GF		weak	4	
	other	O.	0-1-	wount	4010	
		4+♥	2 🗸	3-7	3 🗸	Splinter
	1♠	4+♠	2	3-7		Splinter
	1NT	nat	_	Nat GF	3NT	·
	2	nat GF	3 <b>-</b>	Nat Invite	4	
	2	nat GF	3	6-8	4	
(	other					
1 💙	1♠	Nat	2		3	Nat INV
	1NT	semi-forcing	2	GF raise	3 <b>Y</b>	weak
	2♣	Nat GF/Bal GF	2NT	Invite in ♥	3 <b>♠</b>	splinter
	2	Nat GF	3 <b>-</b>	Nat INV	3NT	
(	other					
1♠	1NT	semi-forcing	2		3 <b>Y</b>	NAT INV
	2	Nat GF/Bal GF	2NT	GF raise	<b>3♠</b>	weak
	2	Nat GF	3♣	Invite in ♠	3NT	
	2	Nat GF	3◆	Nat INV	4	
(	other					
1NT	3 <b>♣</b>	pup. stay [to play]	<b>3♠</b>	13(54) GF [to play]	4	♠ [to play]
	3◆	Minors GF [to play]	3NT		4 <b>\</b>	
	3 <b>Y</b>	31(45) GF [to play]	4	♥ [to play]	4	
(	other					
2♣	2	waiting	2NT		3 <b>Y</b>	
	2	Nat, good suit	3♣	Nat, good suit	<b>3♠</b>	
	2♠	Nat, good suit	3◆	Nat, good suit	3NT	
(	other					
2		NF if NV, F1 vul	3♣	NF if NV, F1 vul	3 <b>♠</b>	
	2	NF if NV, F1 vul	3◆	to play	3NT	
	2NT	ask shortage	3 <b>Y</b>		4	
(	other					
Vote						

Notes

2♥ 2♠	NF if NV, F1 vul		NF if NV, F1 vul	3NT							
2NT	ask shortage	3♥	to play	4							
3♣	NF if NV, F1 vul	3		4							
other											
2 <b>♠</b> 2NT	ask shortage	3♥	NF if NV, F1 vul	4							
3♣	NF if NV, F1 vul	3	to play	4							
3◆	NF if NV, F1 vul	3NT		4							
other											
2NT 3♣	stayman	3	minor suit stayman	4	♠ mild slam try +						
3	<b>V</b>	3NT		4	♣ mild slam try +						
3♥	<b>^</b>	4	♥ mild slam try +	4	♦ mild slam try +						
other											
9. C	ONVENTIONS										
	NT: Lower unbid suits	_									
4th Suit I	Forcing One round				Game force						
NT Checkback X Priorities: 2-way checkback											
Defence to 3NT opening											
Defence to Opening Twos X-X-X											
Multi 2♦ X = 13-15 bal or strong											
RCO style 2-s											
Other 2-s											
Defence	(1♣) : X = majors, 1nt = minors										
to											
strong	(2♣):										
14/24											
Over 1N	T Interference rubens	ohl aft	ter two-level INT								
Lebenso	hl - other uses after	(2x) X	P ??								
Take out	of 4 level pre-empts	` 1 <b>♣</b> /4◆	Χ								
4 <b>♥</b> X		,	4 <b>♠</b> X								
10. OTHER NOTES											