AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE 4. BASIC RESPONSES FEDERATION LTD. Jump raises - minors Weak STANDARD SYSTEM CARD Jump raises - Majors Weak ABF Nos. 737311 Ella Jacob 1m-jump om = mixed raise, 1m-2M = weak jump shift Jump shifts after minor opening 265225 Louise Leibowitz & Names: Jump shifts after Major opening Bergen raises, splinters Basic System: 2/1 Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2 ◆= waiting Classification: Green X Red Blue Brown Sticker Yellow Stayman, transfers, minor stayman Responses to 2NT opening 1. OPENING BIDS Describe strength, min.length, or specific meaning Canapé 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS 1♥ 5+♥ 11+hcp 1♣ 2+♣ 11+hcp Versus Suit Versus **NoTrump** (if different) (or both) Show priorities **5+** ★ 11+hcp K asks Count/Unblock **Leads** Sequences: Overlead **1NT** 15-17 may contain 5 card Major 4th Four or more with an honour 4th 1NT Responses 2 Stayman 2nd 2nd From 4 small 2 💙 2♠ ♣ middle Top/2nd From 3 cards (no honour) 2♥ ♠ 2NT • low if unsupp 3rd/low if unsupp In partner's suit (Dbl) XX=To Play. Else nat. other Discards Low encourage 2♣ GF or 23+bal Reverse Original Count 2♦ Weak (0-6 5+♦ dealer favourable) Attitude **Signal** on partner's lead: Signal on declarer's lead: Count or Nat suit preference 2♥ Weak (0-6 5+♥ dealer favourable) 2♠ Weak (0-6 5+♠ dealer favourable) Notes A=Att K=Count at 5-level or higher or if declarer has preempted **2NT** 20-22 3NT Gambling other 2. PRE-ALERTS 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS 4. Gerber HCP are a guideline RKCB 1430 4NT: Blackwood Cue Bids X Asking Bids 3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS Doubles Takeout, Support doubles and redoubles Negative DBL thru Responsive DBL thru 4♠ Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT LUBS 1NT overcall: (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 11-14 (Major) Other Major + minor Immediate cue: (minor) Majors Over: Weak Twos X=T/O Opening Threes X=T/O Opponent's transfers 1-level: X=T/O of suit shown 2-level: X=Lead www.abf.com.au Opponent's 1NT 2♣=Majors 2♦=One M 2M=5+M 4+m 2NT=Minors PDF Form Rev. 21E29 by RoL MyRev. Copyright © ABF 2021

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

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1 4 1	1 🄷	nat	2	6-9 5+♣	3◆	spl
1	1 💙	nat	2	weak _{6+♥}	3	spl
1	1	nat	2	weak 6+ ♠	3 ^	spl
1	1NT	6-10	2NT	nat inv	3NT	to play
2	2	10+ 5+♣	3 -	0-6 5+♣	4	preemptive
0	ther					
1 1	1 💙	nat	2	weak 6+♥	3 💙	spl
1	1	nat	2	weak6+♠	3	spl
1	1NT	6-11(12)	2NT	nat inv	3NT	to play
2	2	GF nat	3 -	6-9 4+	4 ♣	spl
2	2	10+ 4+♦	3	0-6 4+	4	preemptive
0	ther					
1♥ 1	1	nat	2	6-9 3♥	3 🄷	10-12 4+♥
		semi forcing	2	10-12 3♥	3	0-5 4+♥
2	2	GF 2+ ♣	2NT	GF 4+♥	3 ♠	spl
2	2	GF 5+ ♦	3 -	6-9 4+♥		bal 3♥ choice of game
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2	2	GF 2+ ♣	2NT	GF 4+♠	3 ♠	0-5 4+♠
2	2	GF 5+ ♦	3 -	6-9 4+♠	3NT	bal 3♠ choice of game
2	2	GF 5+♥	3	10-12 4+♠		spl
0	ther					
1NT 3	3	Ask for 5M	3♠	13(54)	4	tfr to 4♠
3	3	GF minors		to play	4	To play
3	3	31(54)	4 ♣	tfr to 4♥	4	To play
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		nat great suit		nat great suit	3NT	
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3♣	nat	3♠		4 💙		
other						
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3♣	nat	3	nat	4 💙	To play	
3◆	nat	3NT		4		
other						
2NT 3♣	Stayman	3♠	minor stayman	4	•	
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