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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** | ♠ **Dikke Piek** ♠ |
| 4+ card (7-15HP) |  | Lead | In Partner’s Suit | **CATEGORY:**  |
|  | Suit | Small = Encouraging | High – Low = even number | **NCBO:**  |
|  | NT | 4 th | High – Low = even number | **PLAYERS: 19654 Johan Callens** |
|  | Subseq |  |  |  **20294 Carlos Cuvelier** |
|  | Other: |  **17422 Paul Decroos** |
|  |  |  **16598 Frans Thoen 23/01/16** |
| **1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)** | LEADS | SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| 4+ - 4+ highest remaining colours (0-13HP) | Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT |
|  | Ace |  |  | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
|  | King |  |  | Acol |
|  | Queen |  |  | 1 Spade = 5, 1 Heart = 5 Hearts |
|  | Jack |  |  | 1 NT = not that regular |
| **JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)**  | 10 |  |  | 2 Clubs/Diamonds = multi: strong or weak |
| Colour: 5+ card (0-13HP) | 9 |  |  | 2 Hearts-3Diamonds / 2-3 NT = pre-empt bicolour |
| NT; 4+ - 4+ lowest remaining colours (0-13HP) | Hi-X |  |  | 3 Hearts - … = pre-empt unicolour |
|  | Lo-X | Promess honour | 4th |  |
| 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: 4+ - 4+ extreme remaining colours (0-13HP) | 1 | High = encouraging | Number of cards | Colour (Lavinthal) | 2 Clubs/Diamonds = multi: strong or weak |
|  | Suit 2 | Low = discouraging |  |  | 2 Hearts-3Diamonds / 2-3 NT = pre-empt bicolour |
|  | 3 |  |  |  | Overcall 1NT/ Cu-bid/ 2NT = pre-empt bicolour |
|  | 1 | High = encouraging | Number of cards | Colour (Lavinthal) | Check-back Stayman |
| **VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)** | NT 2 | Low = discouraging |  |  |  |
| Multi Landy | 3 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Signals (including Trumps):  |  |
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|  | DOUBLES |  |
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| **VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)** | **TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)** |  |
| Dbl: negative until 4♦ | Negative thru 4 Diamonds |  |
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| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |  | SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| Pointed - Rounded | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS |  |
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| OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKEOUT DOUBLE |  | IMPORTANT NOTES |
| After dbl over NT: Romex |  |  |
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|  |  | **PSYCHICS: Yes** |

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| **OPENING** |  **TICK IF****ARTIFICIAL**  | **MIN. NO. OF CARDS** | **NEG.DBL THRU** |  |
| **DESCRIPTION** | **RESPONSES** | **SUBSEQUENT ACTION** | **PASSED HAND BIDDING** |
| 1♣ |  | 3 |  |  | 2x: 6-10 *x = same colour* | 1 M pass/db 3kl=fit, 8 losers – 3R=fit, max 7 losers – 3M= fit, min 9 losers |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3x: invite *y = new colour* |  |  |
| 1♦ |  | 3 |  |  | 1y: 6+ *z = new colour with jump* |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Standard opening (Rule of 18) | 2 y: 10+ *w = new colour with double jump* |  |  |
| 1♥ |  | 5 |  |  | 2 z: 0-5, 6 card |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3 / 4w: 1° or 2° control |  |  |
| 1♠ |  | 5 |  |  | 1 NT: 6-11 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2 NT: 12-13 |  |  |
| INT |  | 1 |  | 14-17 | 2♣: Stayman-relay, 2♦/♥: Jacoby, 2♠/NT: transfer in ♣/♦, 3♣: Niemeyer, 3♦/♥/♠: 6-card, strong |  |  |
| 2♣ | ✓ | 5 |  | 5- losers ♥/♠ | 2♦: relay |  |  |
|  |  | 1 |  | 23+ | 2♥/♠,3♣/♦: 6-card, 6- losers |  |  |
|  |  | 6 |  | 3- losers ♣/♦ | 2 NT: 15+ |  |  |
|  |  | 4 |  | ♦ 0-13 |  |  |  |
| 2♦ | ✓ | 6 |  | 5- losers ♣/♦ | 2♥: relay |  |  |
|  |  | 1 |  | 19-22 | 2♠: 11+, 3+ card♥ |  |  |
|  |  | 5 |  | ♥/♠ : 0-13 | 2 NT: 15+ |  |  |
| 2♥ | ✓ | 4/4  |  | ♥ and ♠ : 0-13  | 2 NT: 17+; 3♥/♠: disturbing |  |  |
| 2♠ | ✓ | 4/4 |  | ♠ and ♣ : 0-13 | 2 NT: 17+; 3♠/4♣: disturbing |  |  |
| 2NT | ✓ | 4/4 |  | ♦ and ♠ : 0-13 | 3♠/4♦: disturbing |  |  |
| 3♣ | ✓ | 4/4 |  | ♣ and ♦ : 0-13 | 4♣/♦: disturbing |  |  |
| 3♦ | ✓ | 4/4 |  | ♦ and ♥ : 0-13 | 4♦: disturbing |  |  |
| 3♥ |  | 6 |  | 0-13 |  |  |  |
| 3♠ |  | 6 |  | 0-13 |  |  |  |
| 3NT | ✓ | 4/4 |  | ♣ and ♥ : 6-13 |  |  |  |
| 4♣ |  | 6 |  | 0-13 |  |  |  |
| 4♦ |  | 6 |  | 0-13 |  |  |  |
| 4♥ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4♠ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4NT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5♣ |  |  |  |  |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |
| 5♦ |  |  |  |  |  | 4 NT = RKC 31-40 |
| 5♥ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5♠ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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