|                                 | BASIC RESPONSES                        |                                     |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| Jump raises - minors limit      | forcing C other                        |                                     |
| Jump raises - majors limit      | ✓ forcing □ other                      | S                                   |
| Jump shifts after minor opening | g weak                                 | Names: PAUL WI                      |
| Jump shifts after major opening | g splinters                            | ABF Nos:                            |
| Responses to strong 2 suit ope  | ening see inside                       | Basic System:                       |
| Responses to 2NT opening        | see inside                             | Classification: Green               |
| P                               | LAY CONVENTIONS                        |                                     |
| 'NT' Versus Notrump             | 'S' Versus Suit 🗸 = Both               | Describe strength, minimu           |
| Sequence leads:                 | Overlead all 🗹 All except AK x (x)     | 1 ▲ 12+3                            |
| Underlead                       | other                                  | <b>1 NT</b> 15-17                   |
| Four or more with an honour     | 4th highest 🗹 attitude 🗔               | 2€Stayman: simple                   |
| 3rd/5th                         | other                                  | transfers 2 2                       |
| From 4 small 2nd highe          | est 🗹 other                            | 2 NT 3♦                             |
| From 3 cards (no honour)        | top 🔲 middle 🗹 bottom 🥅                | 2♣ GAME FORCE or 23                 |
| Signal on partner's lead:       | high encourage 🗹 low encourage 🗌       | 2♦ multi weak 2♥/♠ or 2             |
| other                           |  | 2♥ 6-10 5+♥5+another                |
| Signal on declarer's lead       | original count                         | 2 <b>▲</b> 6-10 5+ <b>▲</b> 5+minor |
| Discards McKe                   | high encourage 🗹 low encourage         | 2 NT 6-10 or < 4 loser 5            |
| odd/even                        | other                                  | 3 NT gambling (AKQxxx               |
| Count natural                   | V reverse                              | PRE-ALERTS                          |
|                                 | CONVENTIONS                            | MEANING                             |
| 4NT: Blackwood                  | RKCB other                             | weak jump shifts over 1             |
| 4● Gerber 🗹 v                   | when? after nt bids                    |                                     |
|                                 | Other Conventions                      |                                     |
| unassuming cue bid              |  |                                     |
|                                 |  | Negative doubles through            |
|                                 |  | Jump overcalls we                   |
|                                 |  | 1NT overcall (immediate)            |
|                                 |  | Immed cue of minor                  |
|                                 |  | Immed cue of major                  |
|                                 | ©ABF Marketing<br>PO Box 397           | Over opponent's 1NT (wea            |
|                                 | Fyshwick ACT 2609                      | Over opponent's 1NT (stro           |
|                                 | Tel: 02 6239 2265<br>FAX: 02 6239 1816 | Over weak twos                      |
|                                 | 1717. 02 0207 1010                     |                                     |

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| STAND  | ARD SYSTEM CARD                             |
| Names: PAUL WILLIAMS   | GEORGE                                      |
| ABF Nos:   |   |
| Basic System: ST/  | ANDARD AMERICAN                             |
| Classification: Green 🗆 Bl   | ue 🗹 Red 🗆 Yellow 🗆 🗡                       |
| 0  | PENING BIDS                                 |
| Describe strength, minimum length,                                       | or specific meaning Canape                  |
| 1 12+ 3 + 1  | 2+3 1♥ 12+5 1♠ 12+5                         |
| <b>1 NT</b> 15-17  | may contain 5 card major                    |
| 2 <b>≜</b> Stayman: simple ☑   | extended D other pseudo                     |
| transfers 2♦ 2♥  | 2♥ 2♠ 2♠ 3♠                                 |
| 2 NT 3• 0  | ther super accepts                          |
| 2. GAME FORCE or 23-24 balance   | ced   |
| 2♦ multi weak 2♥/♠ or 20-22 bala   | nced  |
| 2♥ 6-10 5+♥5+another   |   |
| 2♠ 6-10 5+♠5+minor   |   |
| 2 NT 6-10 or < 4 loser 5+5+minors  | 3   |
| 3 NT gambling (AKQxxxx♠/♦ no o   | utside A or K)                              |
| PRE-ALERTS: CAL  | LS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED                 |
| MEANING/S OR   | REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE                     |
| weak jump shifts over 1 <b>≙/</b> ♦                                      |   |
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|  |   |
| COME   |   |
|  | A Responsive doubles through 3♠             |
| Negative doubles through         3           Jump overcalls         weak | Unusual NT lowest unbid suits               |
|  | 5-18 sys on (re-opening) 12-15              |
| · · · ·  | loser 5+€5+ another                         |
|  | loser 5+ other major 5+ minor               |
| Over opponent's 1NT (weak)   | brozel                                      |
| Over opponent's 1NT (strong)   | brozel                                      |
| Over weak twos   | x for t/o & lebensohl                       |
| Over opening threes  | x for t/o                                   |
|  |   |

|          |              | RESPONSES TO (                  |              |                  |
|----------|--------------|---------------------------------|--------------|------------------|
|          |              | Describe strength, minimum leng | th or spe    | cific meaning    |
| <b>•</b> | 1♦           | 6+ 4                            | 2NT          | 10-12 3334       |
|          | 1♥♠          | 6+ 4♥                           | 3♠           | 10+ 5♣           |
|          | 1NT          | 6-9 3334                        | 3♦           | pre-emptive      |
|          | 2♠           | 6-9 5♠                          | 3♥           | pre-emptive      |
|          | 2♦           | 0-5 6♦                          | 3♠           | pre-emptive      |
|          | 2♥           | 0-5 6♥                          | 3NT          | 13-15 3334       |
|          | 2♠           | 0-5 6🛳                          | 4 bids       |                  |
| •        | 1♥♠          | 6+ 4♥/♠                         | 3♣           | pre-emptive      |
|          | 1NT          | 6-9 0-3♥/♠                      | 3♦           | 10+ 5♦           |
|          | 2♠           | 10+ 5                           | 3♥           | pre-emptive      |
|          | 2♦           | 6-9 5♦                          | 3♠           | pre-emptive      |
|          | 2♥           | 0-5 6♥                          | 3NT          | 13-15            |
|          | 2♠           | 0-5 6♠                          | 4♦           |                  |
|          | 2NT          | 10-12 2-3♥/♠                    | 4 Othe       | r                |
| <b>\</b> | 1NT          | 6-9                             | 3♠           | mini-splinter    |
|          | 2♣           | 10+ 5♣                          | 3♦           | mini-splinter    |
|          | 2♦           | 10+ 5♦                          | 3♥♠          | 10-12 4♥/♠       |
|          | 2♥♠          | 6-9 3♥/♠                        | 3NT          | 13-16            |
|          | 2NT          |                                 | 4 <b>⊈</b> ♦ | splinter         |
| ÷        | 2♦           | negative <3 controls or flat    | 2♥♠          | 3+ controls 5♥/♠ |
|          | other        | 2N 3+ controls 4441 then 3      | asks f       | or singleton     |
| •        | 2♥           | рос                             | 3 <b>≇</b> ♦ | natural          |
|          | 2♠           | рос                             | 3♥♠          | рос              |
|          | 2NT          | relay 15+                       | 3NT          | to play          |
| ♥♠       | 2NT          | relay 15+                       | 3NT          | to play          |
|          | 3 <b>≇</b> ♦ | рос                             | 4 <b>∯</b> ♦ |                  |
|          | 3♥♠          | pre-emptive                     | 4♥♠          |                  |
| 2NT      | 3₽           | puppet stayman                  | 4 <b>♣</b>   | gerber           |
|          | 3♦           | transfer to 3♥                  | 4♦           |                  |
|          | 3♥           | transfer to 3♠                  | 4♥           | to play          |
|          | 3♠           | 5∉4♥                            | 4 <b>♠</b>   | to play          |
|          |              |                                 |              |                  |

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| Additional resp  | onses to '  | 1NT                            |                 |             |         |             |              |
| 3 <b>∉</b> 3♦    | natural sl  | am invite                      |                 |             |         |             |              |
| 3♥3♠             | natural sl  | am invite                      |                 |             |         |             |              |
| 4 🛳              | gerber      |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| 4♦               |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| 4♥               | to play     |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| 4 <b>♠</b>       | to play     |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| Unusual NT:      | minor       | s 🗆                            | other suits     |             | lower 2 | unbid suits |              |
| other            |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
|                  |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| Other slam bid   | ding        | Cue Bi                         | ds 🗹            | Asking Bi   | ds 🗆    |             |              |
| 4th Suit Forcin  | g O         | ne round                       |                 |             |         | Game force  | $\checkmark$ |
| NT Checkback     |             | Priori                         | ties            |             |         |             |              |
| Defence to 3NT   | opening     | bidd                           | ing             |             |         |             |              |
| Defence to ope   | ning 2-s:   | Multi                          | x 16+ oth       | ers natural | limited |             |              |
|                  |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| RCO styl         | e 2-s       | x 16+ othe                     | ers natural lim | nited       |         |             |              |
|                  |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| Other 2-s        | ;           |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
|                  |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| Defence to stro  | ong 뢒       |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
|                  |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |
| Lebensohl        | Ove         | er NT interf                   | erence 🔽        | 1           |         |             |              |
| Other use        | es after    | <sup>-</sup> 2 <b>♥/</b> ♠ (wk | ) : x           |             |         |             |              |
| Take out of 4 le | evel pre-en | npts                           | 4 <b>∉</b> 4♦   | Х           |         |             |              |
|                  | 4♥          | 4n                             | 4♠              | 4n          |         |             |              |
|                  |             |                                |                 |             |         |             |              |

| Jump raises - minors limit forcing other INCORPORATED   Jump raises - majors limit forcing other   Jump shifts after minor opening Weak, 2-5 HCP's or Minor Raise   Jump shifts after major opening Splinter   Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2 = 0-7   Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman   PLAY CONVENTIONS Geoffrey Martin   NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit   Sequence leads: Overlead all   Overlead all All except AK x (x)   INT 15-17   mare: single   Signal on partner's lead: high encourage   other Signal on declarer's lead   Matural Count 2+ Weak, 6-111 HCP's   Discards McKenney   high encourage low encourage   other low encourage   Notes 2- Weak, 6-111 HCP's   2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's   2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's  |
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| Jump shifts after minor opening       Weak, 2:5 HCP's or Minor Raise         Jump shifts after major opening       Splinter         Responses to strong 2 suit opening       2 ● 0.7         Responses to 2NT opening       Puppet Stayman         PLAY CONVENTIONS       OPENING BIDS         'NT' Versus Notrump       'S' Versus Suit       - = Both         Sequence leads:       Overlead all       All except AK x (x)         Underlead       other         Four or more with an honour       4th highest       attitude         3rd/5th       other         From 4 small       2nd highest       other         Signal on partner's lead       Natural Count         Discards       Matural Count       ingh encourage         Discards       Matural Count       ingh encourage       low encourage         Other       2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's       2 NT         2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's       2 NT       2 Oreal   |
| Jump shifts after minor opening Splinter   Jump shifts after major opening Splinter   Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2 • 0.7   Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman   PLAY CONVENTIONS OPENING BIDS   'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit   Sequence leads: Overlead all   Underlead other   Four or more with an honour 4th highest   attitude 1   Signal on partner's lead: high encourage   other 2   Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage I low encourage  |
| Jump shifts after major opening Splinter   Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2 += 0.7   Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman   PLAY CONVENTIONS Green   NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit   'S' versus Suit = Both   Sequence leads: Overlead all   Underlead other   Four or more with an honour 4th highest   affsth other   From 4 small 2nd highest   other 2 NT   Signal on partner's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   other 2 NT   20 Weak, 6-11 HCP's   2 NT 20-22 Balanced  |
| Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2 • = 0.7   Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman   PLAY CONVENTIONS Classification:   'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit   'S' Versus Suit = Both   Sequence leads: Overlead all   Underlead other   Four or more with an honour 4th highest   3rd/5th other   From 4 small 2nd highest   Signal on partner's lead: high encourage   other 2   Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   Isignal on declarer's lead Natural Count   |
| Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman   PLAY CONVENTIONS   'NT' Versus Notrump   'S' Versus Suit   'S' Versus Suit </td   |
| PLAY CONVENTIONS         'NT' Versus Notrump       'S' Versus Suit       ✓= Both         Sequence leads:       Overlead all       ✓       All except AK x (x)       Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning       Canapa         Underlead       Other       Int       1+       3, 11+       1+       5, 11+       1+       5, 11+         Underlead       other       Int       15-17       may contain 5 card major         3rd/5th       other       2 NT       3+       other       2+       3+         From 4 small       2nd highest       ✓       other       2 NT       3+       other       2+       3+         Signal on partner's lead       Natural Count       Low encourage       Owe encou  |
| Sequence leads: Overlead all Image: All except AK x (x)   Underlead other   Four or more with an honour 4th highest   3rd/5th other   3rd/5th other   From 4 small 2nd highest   2nd highest other   Signal on partner's lead: high encourage   Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage Iow encourage   Image: Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Image: Signal on declarer's  |
| Underlead other may contain 5 card major   Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude   3rd/5th other attitude   3rd/5th other attitude   From 4 small 2nd highest other   From 3 cards (no honour) top   middle bottom   Signal on partner's lead: high encourage   other 2w   Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney   high encourage 1 ow encourage   1 nt 15-17   may contain 5 card major   2 Stayman: simple   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 Stayman: simple   2 NT 2 2 2   2 NT  |
| Four or more with an honour 4th highest Image: statitude in this statitud |
| 3rd/5th other   From 4 small 2nd highest   2 nd highest 1 other   From 3 cards (no honour)   top middle   1 on partner's lead: high encourage   other 2   2 other <t< td=""></t<>   |
| From 4 small 2nd highest Image: Constraint of the const |
| From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom   Signal on partner's lead: high encourage iow encourage   other 2 Game force or 23+ Balanced   Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count   Discards McKenney high encourage iow encourage   2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's 2 Weak 2 Weak 3 Weak 4 We  |
| Signal on partner's lead:       high encourage       Iow encourage       2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's         other       2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's       2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's         Signal on declarer's lead       Natural Count       2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's         Discards       McKenney       high encourage       Iow encourage       2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's         2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's       2       Weak, 6-11 HCP's       2  |
| other     2     Weak, 6-11 HCP's       Signal on declarer's lead     Natural Count     2     Weak, 6-11 HCP's       Discards     McKenney     high encourage     Iow encourage     2 NT 20-22 Balanced  |
| Signal on declarer's lead     Natural Count     2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's       Discards     McKenney     high encourage     Iw encourage     2 NT 20-22 Balanced  |
| Discards McKenney high encourage I low encourage 2 NT 20-22 Balanced  |
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|   |
| odd/even other 3 NT Gambling  |
| Count natural reverse reverse PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTE   |
| CONVENTIONS MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE  |
| 4NT: Blackwood RKCB other 0314 Bergen After a 1M overcall   |
| 4● Gerber ☑ when? After NT bids   |
| Other Conventions   |
| 4th Suit Forcing (to game) Natural Trial bids COMPETITIVE BIDDING   |
| Ogust       Criss Cross minor raises       Negative doubles through       3S       Responsive doubles through       3S  |
| Checkback stayman (2 € and 3 €) 4m kickback in Inverted Minors sequence Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT 5-5 in lower two unbid suits   |
| Lebensohl     1NT overcall (immediate)     15-17     (re-opening)     11-14   |
| Unasuming Cue Bid Immed cue of minor Michaels, 5-5 in Majors  |



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Immed cue of major Michaels, 5-5 in the other Major and a Minor Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Cappiletti Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Brozel Over weak twos X is for takeout, then lebenshol

X is for takeout

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Over opening threes

|            |       | RESPONSES TO                    | OPEN         | IING BIDS                  |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|
|            |       | Describe strength, minimum leng | th or spe    | cific meaning              |
| 1 <b>≜</b> | 1♦    | 4, 6+                           | 2NT          | 10-12 balanced             |
|            | 1♥♠   | 4, 6+                           | 3♠           | 5, 2-5                     |
|            | 1NT   | 6-9 balanced                    | 3♦           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♣    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♥           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♦    | 5♣, 6-9                         | 3♠           | Splinter                   |
|            | 27    | 6, 2-5                          | 3NT          | 13-15 balanced             |
|            | 2♠    | 6, 2-5                          | 4 bids       |                            |
| 1•         | 1♥♠   | 4, 6+                           | 3♣           | 5♦, 6-9                    |
|            | 1NT   | 6-9 balanced                    | 3♦           | 5, 2-5                     |
|            | 2♠    | 5 (4), 10+                      | 3♥           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♦    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♠           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♥    | 6, 2-5                          | 3NT          | 13-15 balanced             |
|            | 2♠    | 6, 2-5                          | 4♦           |                            |
|            | 2NT   | 10-12 balanced                  | 4 Othe       | r 4 <b>⊕</b> =splinter     |
| 1♥♠        | 1NT   | 6-9 balanced                    | 3♠           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♣    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♦           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♦    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♥♠          | 3, 10-12                   |
|            | 2♥♠   | 3, 6-9                          | 3NT          | 13-15 balanced             |
|            | 2NT   | Jacobi                          | 4 <b>♣</b> ♦ |                            |
| 2♣         | 2♦    | 0-7                             | 2♥♠          | 4, 8+                      |
|            | other |                                 |              |                            |
| 2♦         | 2♥    | 5, 14+                          | 3 <b>⊈</b> ♦ | Raise is a non-forcing bid |
|            | 2♠    | 5, 14+                          | 3♥♠          |                            |
|            | 2NT   | Ogust                           | 3NT          | Signoff                    |
| 2♥♠        | 2NT   | Ogust                           | 3NT          | Signoff                    |
|            | 3≇♦   | 5, 14+                          | 4 <b>≇</b> ♦ |                            |
|            | 3♥♠   | Raise is a non-forcing bid      | 4♥♠          | Signoff                    |
| 2NT        | 3♣    | Puppet Stayman                  | 4♣           | Gerber                     |
|            | 3♦    | Transfer to 3♥                  | 4♦           | Transfer to 4              |
|            | 3♥    | Transfer to 3♠                  | 4♥           | Transfer to 4♠             |
|            | 3♠    | 5♠ 4♥                           | 4♠           |                            |
|            | 3NT   | Signoff                         | other        |                            |

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|------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| Additional resp  | onses to 1N    | т                  |               |             |           |               |              |
| 3 <b>⊈</b> 3♦    |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| 3♥3♠             |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4♣               | Gerber         |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4♦               | Transfer to    | 4♥                 |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4♥               | Transfer to    | 4 <b>♠</b>         |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4 <b>≜</b>       |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Unusual NT:      | minors         |                    | other suits   |             | lower 2 i | unbid suits   | $\checkmark$ |
| other            |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    | _             |             |           |               |              |
| Other slam bid   | ding           | Cue Bids           | $\checkmark$  | Asking Bio  | ds 🗆      |               | ,            |
| 4th Suit Forcin  | <b>g ,</b> On∈ | e round            |               |             |           | Game force    | $\checkmark$ |
| NT Checkback     | $\checkmark$   | Prioritie          | s Up the      | line        |           |               |              |
| Defence to 3NT   | opening        |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Defence to ope   | ning 2-s:      | Multi              | x=t/o of an   | assumed     | hearts, 2 | ♥=t/o of assu | med          |
|                  | sp             | ades, 2 <b>≜</b> = | =natural      |             |           |               |              |
| RCO styl         | e 2-s          |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Other 2-s        | s Fla          | annery- sa         | ame treatme   | nt of Multi |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Defence to stro  | ong 🛳          |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Lebensohl        |                | NT interfere       |               |             |           |               |              |
| Other use        |                | x of a we          |               |             |           |               |              |
| Take out of 4 le |                |                    |               | 4NT = t/o   |           |               |              |
|                  | 4♥ 4N          | IT = t/o           | 4 <b>♠</b> 4N | Γ = t/o     |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |

| BASIC RESPONSES   | A BEP AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION                                      |
|---|---|
| Jump raises - minors limit  | INCORPORATED  |
| Jump raises - majors limit 🛛 forcing 🗆 other                            |   |
| Jump shifts after minor opening         Weak, 2-5 HCP's or Minor Raise  | STANDARD SYSTEM CARD  |
| Jump shifts after major opening Splinter                                | Names: Richard Pollett Geoffrey Martin                                  |
| Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2 •= 0-7                             | ABF Nos: 612089 57142   |
| Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman                                 | Basic System: STANDARD<br>Classification: Green 🗹 Blue 🗆 Red 🗆 Yellow 🗆 |
| PLAY CONVENTIONS  |   |
| 'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit                                     | Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Ca               |
| Sequence leads: Overlead all 🗹 All except AK x (x) 🗌                    | 1   |
| Underlead other   | <b>1 NT</b> 15-17 may contain 5 card majo                               |
| Four or more with an honour 4th highest 🗹 attitude 🗔                    | 2€Stayman: simple 🗹 extended 🗆 other                                    |
| 3rd/5th conter  | transfers 2♦ 2♥ 2♥ 2♥ 2● 2♦ 3●  |
| From 4 small 2nd highest 🗹 other  | 2 NT 3◆ other Super Accepts   |
| From 3 cards (no honour) top 🗔 middle 🗹 bottom 🗔                        | 2♠ Game force or 23+ Balanced   |
| Signal on partner's lead: high encourage 🗹 low encourage 🗔              | 2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's  |
| other   | 2♥ Weak, 6-11 HCP's   |
| Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count                                 | 2   |
| Discards McKenney 🗌 high encourage 🗹 low encourage 🥅                    | 2 NT 20-22 Balanced   |
| odd/even other  | 3 NT Gambling   |
| Count natural 🗹 reverse 🗔   | PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPEC                                 |
| CONVENTIONS   | MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE                                    |
| 4NT: Blackwood 🗆 RKCB 🗹 other 0314                                      | Bergen After a 1M overcall  |
| 4● Gerber 🗹 when? After NT bids   |   |
| Other Conventions   |   |
| 4th Suit Forcing (to game) Natural Trial bids                           | COMPETITIVE BIDDING   |
| Ogust Criss Cross minor raises  | Negative doubles through 3S Responsive doubles through                  |
| Checkback stayman (2 € and 3 €) 4m kickback in Inverted Minors sequence | Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT 5-5 in lower two unbid suits             |
| Lebensohl   | 1NT overcall (immediate) 15-17 (re-opening) 11-14                       |
| Unasuming Cue Bid   | Immed cue of minor Michaels, 5-5 in Majors                              |



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| Classification: Gree     |          | lue 🛛       | Rec      |              | 'ellow D    |           |   |
|                          |          | PENI        |          |              |             |           | _ |
| Describe strength, minir |          |             |          | -            |             | Canape    | L |
| 1♠ 3, 11+                | 1 3, 11  | +           | 1♥       | - 1          |             | 1 5, 11+  | _ |
| <b>1 NT</b> 15-17        | -1       |             |          | _ `          | ontain 5 ca | ard major |   |
| 2€Stayman: simp          | ole 🔽    | exter       |          | c            | other       |           |   |
| transfers 2♦ 2♥          |          |             | 2♠       |              | 2♠          | 3♠        |   |
| 2 NT 3♦                  |          | other S     | uper Ac  | cepts        |             |           |   |
| 2♠ Game force or 23      |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
| 2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's       |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
| 2 Weak, 6-11 HCP's       |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
| 2  Weak, 6-11 HCP's      |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
| 2 NT 20-22 Balanced      |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
| 3 NT Gambling            |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
| PRE-ALER                 |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
|                          | NG/S OR  | REQU        | JIRE     | SPECIA       |             | INCE      |   |
| Bergen After a 1M over   | call     |             |          |              |             |           |   |
|                          |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
|                          |          |             |          |              |             |           |   |
|                          | COM      | PETIT       | IVE      | BIDDIN       | IG          |           |   |
| Negative doubles throug  | gh 3S    |             | Respor   | nsive double | es through  | 3S        |   |
| Jump overcalls Wea       | ak       | Unusua      | al NT    | 5-5 in low   | er two unl  | oid suits |   |
| 1NT overcall (immediate  | e) 15    | i-17        | (re      | e-opening)   | 11-14       |           |   |
| Immed cue of minor       | Michaels | , 5-5 in M  | lajors   |              |             |           |   |
| Immed cue of major       | Michaels | , 5-5 in th | e other  | Major and a  | a Minor     |           |   |
| Over opponent's 1NT (v   | veak)    | Cappile     | tti      |              |             |           |   |
| Over opponent's 1NT (s   | strong)  | Brozel      |          |              |             |           |   |
| Over weak twos           |          | X is for    | takeout, | then leben   | shol        |           |   |
| Over opening threes      |          | X is for    | takeout  |              |             |           |   |
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|            |       | RESPONSES TO                    | OPEN         | IING BIDS                  |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|
|            |       | Describe strength, minimum leng | th or spe    | cific meaning              |
| 1 <b>≜</b> | 1♦    | 4, 6+                           | 2NT          | 10-12 balanced             |
|            | 1♥♠   | 4, 6+                           | 3♠           | 5, 2-5                     |
|            | 1NT   | 6-9 balanced                    | 3♦           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♣    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♥           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♦    | 5♣, 6-9                         | 3♠           | Splinter                   |
|            | 27    | 6, 2-5                          | 3NT          | 13-15 balanced             |
|            | 2♠    | 6, 2-5                          | 4 bids       |                            |
| 1•         | 1♥♠   | 4, 6+                           | 3♣           | 5♦, 6-9                    |
|            | 1NT   | 6-9 balanced                    | 3♦           | 5, 2-5                     |
|            | 2♠    | 5 (4), 10+                      | 3♥           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♦    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♠           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♥    | 6, 2-5                          | 3NT          | 13-15 balanced             |
|            | 2♠    | 6, 2-5                          | 4♦           |                            |
|            | 2NT   | 10-12 balanced                  | 4 Othe       | r 4 <b>⊕</b> =splinter     |
| 1♥♠        | 1NT   | 6-9 balanced                    | 3♠           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♣    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♦           | Splinter                   |
|            | 2♦    | 5, 10+ forcing                  | 3♥♠          | 3, 10-12                   |
|            | 2♥♠   | 3, 6-9                          | 3NT          | 13-15 balanced             |
|            | 2NT   | Jacobi                          | 4 <b>♣</b> ♦ |                            |
| 2♣         | 2♦    | 0-7                             | 2♥♠          | 4, 8+                      |
|            | other |                                 |              |                            |
| 2♦         | 2♥    | 5, 14+                          | 3 <b>⊈</b> ♦ | Raise is a non-forcing bid |
|            | 2♠    | 5, 14+                          | 3♥♠          |                            |
|            | 2NT   | Ogust                           | 3NT          | Signoff                    |
| 2♥♠        | 2NT   | Ogust                           | 3NT          | Signoff                    |
|            | 3≇♦   | 5, 14+                          | 4 <b>≇</b> ♦ |                            |
|            | 3♥♠   | Raise is a non-forcing bid      | 4♥♠          | Signoff                    |
| 2NT        | 3♣    | Puppet Stayman                  | 4♣           | Gerber                     |
|            | 3♦    | Transfer to 3♥                  | 4♦           | Transfer to 4              |
|            | 3♥    | Transfer to 3♠                  | 4♥           | Transfer to 4♠             |
|            | 3♠    | 5♠ 4♥                           | 4♠           |                            |
|            | 3NT   | Signoff                         | other        |                            |

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|------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| Additional resp  | onses to 1N    | т                  |               |             |           |               |              |
| 3 <b>⊈</b> 3♦    |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| 3♥3♠             |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4♣               | Gerber         |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4♦               | Transfer to    | 4♥                 |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4♥               | Transfer to    | 4 <b>♠</b>         |               |             |           |               |              |
| 4 <b>≜</b>       |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Unusual NT:      | minors         |                    | other suits   |             | lower 2 i | unbid suits   | $\checkmark$ |
| other            |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    | _             |             |           |               |              |
| Other slam bid   | ding           | Cue Bids           | $\checkmark$  | Asking Bio  | ds 🗆      |               | ,            |
| 4th Suit Forcin  | <b>g ,</b> On∈ | e round            |               |             |           | Game force    | $\checkmark$ |
| NT Checkback     | $\checkmark$   | Prioritie          | s Up the      | line        |           |               |              |
| Defence to 3NT   | opening        |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Defence to ope   | ning 2-s:      | Multi              | x=t/o of an   | assumed     | hearts, 2 | ♥=t/o of assu | med          |
|                  | sp             | ades, 2 <b>≜</b> = | =natural      |             |           |               |              |
| RCO styl         | e 2-s          |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Other 2-s        | s Fla          | annery- sa         | ame treatme   | nt of Multi |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Defence to stro  | ong 🛳          |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |
| Lebensohl        |                | NT interfere       |               |             |           |               |              |
| Other use        |                | x of a we          |               |             |           |               |              |
| Take out of 4 le |                |                    |               | 4NT = t/o   |           |               |              |
|                  | 4♥ 4N          | IT = t/o           | 4 <b>♠</b> 4N | Γ = t/o     |           |               |              |
|                  |                |                    |               |             |           |               |              |

**BASIC RESPONSES** □ forcing □ other pre-emptive Jump raises - minors limit forcing other Jump raises - majors limit Jump shifts after minor opening criss-cross | weak | splinter Jump shifts after major opening splinters Responses to strong 2 suit opening see inside see inside Responses to 2NT opening **PLAY CONVENTIONS**  $\overline{\mathbf{V}}_{=\mathrm{Both}}$ 'S' Versus Suit 'NT' Versus Notrump  $\checkmark$ Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x) Underlead other ✓ attitude □ 4th highest Four or more with an honour 3rd/5th other 🗹 other 2nd highest From 4 small bottom From 3 cards (no honour) top middle  $\checkmark$ Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage other Signal on declarer's lead original count  $\checkmark$ low encourage Discards МсКе high encourage odd/even other  $\checkmark$ reverse Count natural **CONVENTIONS** RKCB 🗹 other 0-3, 1-4 Blackwood 4NT: Gerber **v** when? after nt bids 4 **Other Conventions** unassuming cue bid ogust ©ABF Marketing

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|            |       | RESPONSES TO                    |              |                  |  |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------|--------------|------------------|--|
|            |       | Describe strength, minimum leng | th or spe    | cific meaning    |  |
| 1 <b>≜</b> | 1♦    | 6+ 4♦                           | 2NT          | 10-12 3334       |  |
|            | 1♥♠   | 6+ 4♥                           | 3♠           | 0-5 5♠           |  |
|            | 1NT   | 6-9 3334                        | 3♦           | splinter         |  |
|            | 2♠    | 10+ 5                           | 3♥           | splinter         |  |
|            | 2♦    | 6-9 5♣                          | 3♠           | splinter         |  |
|            | 2♥    | 0-5 6♥                          | 3NT          | 13-15 3334       |  |
|            | 2♠    | 0-5 6♠                          | 4 bids       |                  |  |
| 1♦         | 1♥♠   | 6+ 4 <b>♥/</b> ♠                | 3♣           | 6-9 5♦           |  |
|            | 1NT   | 6-9 0-3♥/♠                      | 3♦           | 0-5 5♦           |  |
|            | 2♠    | 10+ 5                           | 3♥           | splinter         |  |
|            | 2♦    | 10+ 5♦                          | 3♠           | splinter         |  |
|            | 27    | 0-5 6♥                          | 3NT          | 13-15 2-3♥/♠     |  |
|            | 2♠    | 0-5 6♠                          | 4♦           |                  |  |
|            | 2NT   | 10-12 2-3♥/♠                    | 4 Other      |                  |  |
| 1♥♠        | 1NT   | 6-9                             | 3♠           | mini-splinter    |  |
|            | 2♣    | 10+ 5                           | 3♦           | mini-splinter    |  |
|            | 2♦    | 10+ 5♦                          | 3♥♠          | 10-12 4♥/♠       |  |
|            | 2♥♠   | 6-9 3♥/♠                        | 3NT          | 13-16            |  |
|            | 2NT   | jacoby 12+ 4 <b>♥/</b> ♠        | 4 <b>∯</b> ♦ |                  |  |
| 2♣         | 2♦    | negative <3 controls or flat    | 2♥♠          | 3+ controls 5♥/♠ |  |
|            | other | 2N 3+ controls 4441 then 3      | 🕭 asks fo    | or singleton     |  |
| 2♦         | 27    | nnf                             | 3∰♦          | nnf              |  |
|            | 2♠    | nnf                             | 3♥♠          | pre-emptive      |  |
|            | 2NT   | relay 15+                       | 3NT          | to play          |  |
| 2♥♠        | 2NT   | relay 15+                       | 3NT          | to play          |  |
|            | 3∰♦   | natural                         | 4 <b>₽</b>   |                  |  |
|            | 3♥♠   | pre-emptive                     | 4♥♠          |                  |  |
| 2NT        | 3♠    | puppet stayman                  | 4♠           | gerber           |  |
|            | 3♦    | transfer to 3                   | 4♦           | -                |  |
|            | 3♥    | transfer to 3♠                  | 4♥           | to play          |  |
|            | 3♠    | 5∉4♥                            | 4♠           | to play          |  |
|            |       |                                 |              | -                |  |

| CONVENTIONS  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
|--|--------------------------------|--|---------------|------|---------|-------------|--|
| Additional resp  | onses to                       | 1NT  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 3 <b>⊈</b> 3♦  | natural slam invite            |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 3♥3♠   | natural slam invite            |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 4 🗭  | gerber                         |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 4♦   |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 4♥   | to play                        |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 4♠   | to play                        |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Unusual NT:  | mino                           | rs 🗆   | other suits   |      | lower 2 | unbid suits |  |
| other  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
|  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Other slam bidding Cue Bids 🗹 Asking Bids 🗆                |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| 4th Suit Forcing One round 🗆 Game force 🗹                  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| NT Checkback   | $\checkmark$                   | Priori   | ties up the   | line |         |             |  |
| Defence to 3NT opening bidding                             |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Defence to opening 2-s: Multi x 16+ others natural limited |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
|  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| RCO style 2-s  |                                | x 16+ others natural limited   |               |      |         |             |  |
|  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Other 2-s  |                                | flannery 2 - x = t/o of $\clubsuit$ , 2 = t/o of $\clubsuit$ , 2 = natural good su |               |      |         |             |  |
|  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Defence to stro  | ong 뢒                          |  |               |      |         |             |  |
|  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Lebensohl  | 0\                             | er NT interf   | erence 🔽      |      |         |             |  |
|  | other uses after 2♥/♠ (wk) : x |  |               |      |         |             |  |
| Take out of 4 le   | evel pre-e                     | mpts   | 4 <b>∉</b> 4♦ | Х    |         |             |  |
|  | 4♥                             | 4n   | 4♠            | 4n   |         |             |  |
|  |                                |  |               |      |         |             |  |

[1] 6x shows 2kc & x void, 6 agreed suit shows 2kc & higher void