AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE 4. BASIC RESPONSES Jump raises - minors Natural 10-11 HCP, 5+cards FEDERATION INC. Jump raises - Majors Preempt 0-6 HCP, 4+ cards STANDARD SYSTEM CARD Jump shifts after minor opening Weak ABF Nos. Shannon Bowen Jump shifts after Major opening Bergen raises & Names: Partner Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2♦ waiting Basic System: Standard 3 Stayman, TRF to majors Responses to 2NT opening Classification: Green X Blue Red Brown Sticker 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS **Show priorities** 1. OPENING BIDS Versus NoTrump (if different) Versus Suit (or both) Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Overlead All Leads Sequences: 1♥ 11+ HCP, 5+♥ 1♣ 11+ HCP, 3+♣ Four or more with an honour 4th highest 1♦ 11+ HCP, 3+♦ 1♠ 11+ HCP, 5+♠ 2nd highest From 4 small 1NT 15-17 Balanced may contain 5 card Major Middle From 3 cards (no honour) 1NT Responses 2 Simple Stayman In partner's suit 2**♦** TRF ♥ 2♠ TRF ♣ High Encourage **Discards** 2♥ TRF ♠ 2NT TRF ♦ Standard Count other High Encourage Signal on partner's lead: 24 23+ BAL or any game force Signal on declarer's lead: Standard Count 6+, 6-10 Weak **Notes** 6+¥, 6-10 Weak 6+♠, 6-10 Weak 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS 2NT 20-22 balanced 3NT RKCB 1430 other 4♣ Gerber Blackwood when? 4NT: 2. PRE-ALERTS **Slam Notes** X Cue Bids 1st round control Asking Bids 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS 3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS Bergen Raises **4** Jump overcalls weak Negative doubles through Responsive doubles through **4** Unusual NT 1NT overcall - immediate 15-18 BAL Immediate cue of minor -1NT overcall - re-opening -Immediate cue of Major Over weak twos x=T/o, otherwise NAT Over opening threes x=T/o, otherwise NAT www.abf.com.au PDF Form Rev. 15E20 by RoL Over opponent's 1NT Natural MyRev. Copyright © ABF 2015

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8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

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1♣ 1♦	6+ HCP	4+♦	2			3		
1♥	6+ HCP	4+♥	2			3		
1♠	6+ HCP	4+♠	2			3		
1NT	6-9 HCP		2NT	10-12 HCP		3NT	To Play	
2	6-9+ HCP	5+♣	3♣	10-11 HCP	5+♣	4♣		
other								
1♦ 1♥	6+ HCP	4+ V	2			3		
1♠	6+ HCP	4+♠	2			3		
1NT	6-9 HCP		2NT	10-12 HCP		3NT	To Play	
2♣	10+ HCP	5+♣	3 -			4	•	
2	6-9+ HCP	5+♦	3	10-11 HCP	5+♦	4		
other								
1♥ 1♠	6+ HCP	4+♠	2	6-9 HCP	3♥	3	10-11 HCP	4+ V
1NT	6-9 HCP		2	10-11(12) H	CP, 3♥	3	0-6 HCP	4+♥
2	10+ HCP	5+♣	2NT	12+ HCP	4+♥	3		
2	10+ HCP	5+♦	3 -	6-9 HCP	4+♥	3NT	To Play	
other								
1 ♠ 1NT	6-9 HCP		2	6-9 HCP	3♠	3	10-11(12) HC	CP, 3 ♠
2♣	10+ HCP	5+♣	2NT	12+ HCP	4+♠	3	0-6 HCP	4+♠
2	10+ HCP	5+♦	3♣	6-9 HCP	4+♠	3NT	To Play	
2	10+ HCP	5+♥	3	10-11 HCP	4+♠	4 ♣		
other								
1NT 3♣			3♠			4		
3			3NT	To Play		4	To Play	
3			4 -	•		4	To Play	
other							-	
2♣ 2♦	Waiting		2NT	8-10 HCP balanced		3 💙		
2	8+ HCP	5+♥	3		6+♣	3♠		
2	8+ HCP	5+♠	3	8+ HCP	6+♦	3NT		
other								
2♦ 2♥	NAT F1		3♣	NAT F1		3♠		
2♠	NAT F1		3	NAT NF		3NT	To Play	
2NT	Invitational		3			4		
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other 2♠ 2NT Invitational 3♥ NAT F1 4 3♣ NAT F1 3♠ NAT NF 3♦ NAT F1 3NT To Play 4♠ To Play other 2NT 3♣ Stayman 3 4 3♦ TRF ♥ 3NT To Play **4** 3♥ TRF ♠ 4 4 other 9. CONVENTIONS Unusual NT: -4th Suit Forcing One round Game force Priorities: Majors NT Checkback X **Defence to 3NT opening Defence to Opening Twos** X=T/O, NAT otherwise Multi 2 RCO style 2-s Other 2-s Defence to strong Over 1NT Interference Natural Lebensohl - other uses **4♣/4**♦ Take out of 4 level pre-empts **10. OTHER NOTES**

3♦ NAT F1

3**^**

NAT NF

3NT To Play

4♥ To Play

4

2♥ 2♠ NAT F1

2NT Invitational

3♣ NAT F1