DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	LEADS AND SIGNALS			GNALS	W B F CONVENTION CARD		
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)	OPENING I	LEADS STYLE					
Normally Sound. 9-18 hcp. Reopening may be weaker.		Lead		In Parti	ner's Suit	CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker:	
RESPONSES:-			i, Hi from 2		Hi from 2	NCBO: INDIA	
Natural. Change of suit = F1, NTs limited.	NT	4th,Hi = 2/3 sr	mall	4th / 3rd	Hi from 2	PLAYERS: Kiran Nadar & Bachiraju Satyanarayana	
Cue = F1 with doubleton Honour/ 3+ card support.	Subseq	Hi = No intt, R	est as above	Hi = No	ntt, Rest as above	EVENT (Open/Mixed)	
Jump shift = fit showing. Jump Cue = Splinter. Double Jump Shifts are splinters.	Other:	9/10 = 0/2 Hig	her cards. Jack	denies highe	r		
Jump in one above the Major O/C is mini splinter any.		6,10 0,21.lg		donioo nigrio	•		
1NT OVERCALL (2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)	LEADS					SYSTEM SUMMARY	
15-17 hcp in 2nd/4th live. 11-14 hcp in reopening	Lead	Vs. Suit		Vs. NT			
System On over 15-17NT. Trf to opp. suit = 4441 GF.	Ace	AKx or Ax		A for atti	tude from AK	GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
On reopen NT 2C=Range/STAY on which 2D = 11-12hcp,2H/2S/2NT = 13-15	King	KQx, AK, AKx	level 5+	K for cou	Int from AK	Standard with 5 card Majors, 15-17 NT, Stayman & Trfs over 1NT	
Others same as on 1NT Overcall.	Queen	QJ, QJx, Qx		QJx, Qx	, KQT9	2D = Multi (Weak 2 in a Major	
	Jack	Jx, JT, JTx		Jx, JT, J	Tx	3NT = 4 Level Preempt in a minor, 4 C/4 D = Namiyats	
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	10	AJT, KJT, Tx,	T9x	AJT, KJ	Г, Тх, Т9х	Multiple raises on Major/ Inverted on minor opening	
1-Suit: WJO. 2NT for minors over 1M	9	AT9, KT9, QT			9, QT9, 9x, 98x	Multiple raises on Major/ Inverted on minor opening	
2-Suit: Leaping Michaels over weak 2 H/2 S (Cue = minors )	J Hi-X	doubleton	-,,		n or 3 small	After 2 OVER 1 Responses: Rebid = NF	
	Lo-X	3rd / 5th		4th / 3rd			
Reopen: Intermediate		N ORDER OF P	RIORITY				
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)		rtner's Lead	Declarer's I	Lead	Discarding	SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE	
Direct Cue bids on 1 level opening = Michaels		= DISCG	Hi = ODD		Hi = DISCG	2 H = 5+ cards in Hs & 5+ cards in any other 5 to 11HCP	
Jump Cue Bids over 1 level ask for a stopper for 3NT	Suit 2 Hi	= ODD	Hi = Higher SI	Р	Hi = ODD	2 S = 5+ cards in Ss & 5+ cards in a minor 5 to 11 HCP	
In competition Cue bid = support and atleast INV.		= Higher SP			Hi = Higher SP	2NT = 20 to 21 HCP, MAY HAVE SINGLETON	
In competition Jump Cue = SPL at 4 level, excl. at 5	1 Hi :	= DISCG	Hi = ODD		Hi = DISCG	3NT = Preempt in 4 level minor	
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH)	NT 2 Hi	= ODD	Hi = Higher SI	Р	Hi = ODD	4 C/4 D = Namiyats	
Vs STRONG NT: Dbl = longer m + M, 2 C =Single suiter		= Higher SP			Hi = Higher SP	Transfer overcalls over Art Strong 1 C/2 C/1 D	
2D = Majors, 2NT = minors, 2 H/2 S = bid M + minor	_	iding Trumps): T	rumph Echo for	Ruff	-	Transfer Responses over 1 C opening	
Vs WEAK NT: Dbl for Penalty . Others as in case of Strong NT.			Signals in Trump		ed	Some Transfer Responses after interference on our 1 Openings.	
Passed Hand treatment is same as against strong NT		Reverse Smith against NT		Artificial 2 C Response over 1M opening			
			DOUBLES	S			
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)	TAKEOUT	DOUBLES (Styl	le; Responses	s; Reopenii	ng)	SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
DBLS are takeout oriented. NT bids are natural.					balancing /pre balancing	Forcing Pass applies in our GF auctions	
Leaping/ Non Leaping Michaels at 4SS Level	Responses are	Responses are natural. 1NT response = 7-9 hcp.			After Strong RDBL by responder, Openers Pass = F1.		
	Only a Cue bid is forcing to agreement.					Only on non-jump response from doubler's partner.	
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 14 or 24	SPECIAL. A	SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS					
Dbl = Majors, NT overcalls are for minors.	,	Doubles in competition are mostly -ve / strength.			IMPORTANT NOTES		
All other overcalls are transfers.	Penalty DBLs start after RDBL or DBL is converted.					Negative Dbls, Responsive dbls, Support Dbls	
	Support dbls at 1/2 level,-Ve dbls on partners 1NT.					Negative dbls over interference of our 1NT opening.	
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE	Responsive / Competitive dbls. / Lightner Doubles				Good Bad 2NT, Serious and Non Serious Slam tries,		
RDBL = Penalty oriented.	RDBL = Strong (May be Rosenkranz)				After 1X-1Y–1Z–2C/2D are INV/GF Check Backs(2Cforces2D)		
Change of suit at 1 level = F1. (2 level trfs /some 1 trfs)	1NT gets dbld for penalties, RDBL = Puppet to 2 C (single suiter any)			(single suiter	Exclusion RKC		
Unpassed 1M - Dbl - 2M = 3-7, 1NT up to one below 2M = Trfs						PSYCHICS: Rare	

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OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1*		3	4H	11-21 Cs more than or = D	1 level trfs, 1S-pup to 1NT <mark>*1</mark> , 1NT = GF C <mark>*2</mark>	Acceptance of TRF shows 12-14, may be 2 cards Rebid of 1NT on trf to $H/S = 18-19$ bal *4	Same Treatment
					2NT Inv, 2C= GF D, 2D=Mixed, 2H/S=4+/5+ H/S 7-9/9-11	1C-1D/H-1H/S –(2C = Pup to 2D and 2D GF any) *3	Some Transfers in Competition
1•		3	4H	11-21 HCP (3 Cards only when 4432)	Any Suit Nat F1, 2D = Inverted, 3C Mixed Raise	1D-1Y-1Z - (2C = Pup to 2D and 2D GF any) <b>*3</b>	
					Others as after 1C opening.	After 1NT, 2C = Gazzili *5	With PH $2C/2D = 4/3$ card drury
1•		5	4D	11-21hcp, 5+ cards in H	1NT = Semi F. 2C–Art(at least 9+HCP <mark>*6</mark> , Raise Constructive		Some Transfers in Competition
1		5	4H	11-21hcp, 5+ cards in S	Chng suit F1, Bergen Raises <b>*7</b> . SPL <b>*8</b> Similar to that of 1H opening	mini/midi/maxi Splinters *8	
INT			3S	15-17 (Singleton Hon possible)	2C=Stay, 2D/H trfs, 2S=PUP(5+m/4+any) *10 2/NT PUP *9,	Chng of Suit after TRF = GF, 2NT-3 C-3 H/S GF C/D	
				May have 5M or 6m	3 C/D INV, 3H/S Frag 4C/D trf to H/S, 4NT = Qty.	2NT Pup(sign of/GF in minor/GF minors *10	
2*	YES	0	4H	22+BAL or 20+UnBal	2D=Waiting, 2H/2S/3C/3D GF shd have atleast KQxxx	2C-2D-2 H(PUP)-2S-2NT(25-26), 2C-2D-2NT(22-24)	After 2NT by opener ref.2NT OP
						2C-2D-3D=5+D/4+C, 3H/3S 5+D + 4H/S	
2♦	YES	0		Wk in H/S/	2H/2S/3H/3S/4 H = P/C, 2NT Relay, 3C/ 3D=F1	2D-2NT- (3C=good), (3D/H=Bad H/S) -3NT is solid	2D-2NT-(3C -3D asks-3H/3S = S/Hs),
					4C requests transfer to opener's Major.		
2♥		5		5H + 5Any 6-11 HCP	2S/3C = P/C, 2NT = Relay, 3D/3S = F1	2H-2NT-3C/D/H=C/D/S Weak, 3S/NT=Good S/m any	
2♠		5		5S + 5Any 6-11 HCP	3C = P/C, 3D/3H = F1, 2NT = Relay	2S-2NT-?(3C/D = C/D Weak, 3H/S = C/D Better)	
2NT				20-21, May Have Singleton	Puppet Stayman <sup>*1</sup> 2, 3D/3H, 3NT,4C,4D,4H TRFS	2NT-3S-3NT- *11	
1					3S puppet to 3NT, to Play/5-4 hands with Slam Inv		
3*		6		Preempt	Change of Suit = F1		
3♦		6		Preempt			
3♥				Preempt	4 minor = Cue, 4S/5C/ 5D to play. 4NT = RKC		
3♠				Preempt	4 minor = Cue, 4H/5C/ 5D to play, 4NT = RKC		
3NT				Broken Preempt in one minor	4C = P/C, 4D Asks Singleton, 4H/S = to play, 4NT = RKC		
4*		7Hs		8+ Playing Tricks in Hs	4D=3+ tricks, 4NT=RKC,4S/5C/5D cues missing higher cue		
4♦		7Ss		8+ Playing Tricks in Ss	4H=3+tricks, 4NT = RKC, 5C/D/H cues-missing higher cue		
4♥		7(6)		Less than 8 playing tricks			
4▲	L	7(6)		Less than 8 playing tricks			
4NT				Specific Ace Asking	Bid Aces upwards, 5NT = No ACE		DDUNG
5*						HIGH LEVEL BI	DDING
5♦						4 minor is RKC when GF is established.	
5 <b>∀</b>	L					DKC after NT opening and known 2 suiter auctions 1-4 / 0-3 / 2 WO/ 2 With Q responses to RKC	
5♠						1-4 / 0-3 / 2 WO/ 2 with Q responses to RKC	h both on DKC
						DBL/RDBL = 1st, Pass = 2nd Step etc over RKC/DKC - Interference	
						Lightner/ Unusual Doubles	
						Forcing Passes at high level when GF is establi	shed for our side.

#### Supplementary Notes

- \*1 1S Puppet to 1NT over 1C opening May have passable hand, Sign Off D, INV C/D, GF+ clubs, INV/GF/Slam Inv/Slam Balanced 1C - 1S 1NT- Subsequent Pass to Play 2C GF Clubs mostly unbalanced 2D sign off D 2H/2S INV C/D 5 cards and 10-11 HCP INV Bal 2NT 3C/3D INV C/D 6+cards 9-11 5+C/4+H/S with 16+HCP 3H/3S 3NT to play 4NT INV
- \*2 1NT over 1C opening is GF with Clubs mostly balanced hand with 4/5 clubs

Opener will bid 2C with 5+ Clubs Opener will bid 2D/H/S with 5+ Clubs + 4 bid suit Opener will spl with 3D/H/S with 5+clubs, limited hands OR 18+ hands Opener bids 2C first and splinters next to show 15-17 hands with 5+clubs Opener bids 2NT followed by 4NT to show 3clubs & 4NT to show 4clubs

\*3, 1X-1Y-1Z Situations

1C	1D/1H	1H/1S
1D	1H/1S	1S/1N

In the above situations, 2C by responder puppets to 2D

Either to play 2D OR to show all types of Inv hands 3m shows minor longer than the Major bid at 1 level.

In the above situations, 2D by responder is GF any hand

- Opener bids 2H 3 card support OR 4Hs 2S 3card support denying 4Hs OR 2S = 4Ss denying 3card H support 2NT denying 4OM and 3 card support 3m showing good 5 card m with no 3card support 3M showing 5 m with 3 card support 3NT showing 5 good m with 3 bad card support
- \*4 1NT rebid showing 18-19 HCP after 1C Opening Retransfers by responder at 2 Level 3C/3D/3H (2nd suit) shows two good suits 10+ HCP 3M shows 6 cards good suit, 10+HCP

### \*5 Gazzilli ---- Followup below

- 2D to show 8+ hcp on which opener bids
  - 2M to show week hand with 5 Major and 4+ Clubs
  - 20M to show 5-4(any) hand with 17+hcp
  - Next bid is relay on which opener shows the 4 card suit
  - Responder can also bid his own suit
  - 2NT to show 18-19 balanced
  - 3m/3H(in case of 1S opening) to show 6-4 hand with 16+hcp
  - 2H is weak hand with hearts in case of 1 Spade opening
  - 2S is both minors (5+4+) weak hand in case of heart opening
  - 2NT is puppet to 3C to sign off in one minor
  - 3C/3D/(also 3H in case of Spade opening) 6-7 points, good suit
- \*6 One Major 2 \* Relay May Have the following hand types
  - 1. 3 card Limit raise in Major
  - 2. 10-11 6 cards in Clubs
  - 3. GF Clubs OR Balanced

## Continuations:

- 2D => Minimum, No 4 Cards in Other Major
  - 2M => 3 card Limit in Major 2OM => GF Relay, Opener bids naturally 2NT => GF on which 3C = 3/2Clubs with Hon, 3D = 5Cards, 3M=6 3C => 10-11 6 Clubs 3NT => 15-17 5332, 2 cards in opener's Major 4C => RKC 4NT => 18-19, 5332, 2 cards in opener's Major
- 2H => 4 Cards in Other Major
  - now both 3H & 3S by responder are GF fits, 2S = limit after 1S Opening
  - 2NT is GF Clubs/Bal. Opener's 3C shows 3/ 2 with Honour, 3D =15+ no club fit 3C => 10-11 6 Clubs
  - $3D \Rightarrow$  looking for Diamond stopper for 3NT
  - $3NT \Rightarrow 15-17$  5332, 2 cards in opener's Major
  - $4C \Rightarrow RKC$  for Clubs,  $4NT \Rightarrow 18-19$  5332, 2 cards in opener; s Major
- $2S \implies 4{+}Clubs \ 15{+} \ HCP$
- $2NT \Rightarrow 15+$  no second suit. Subsequent rebid of M shows 3 cards in clubs
- $3C \Rightarrow 4$  Diamonds 15 + HCP
- 3D => 5 Diamonds 15+ HCP
- $3M \Rightarrow 16+$ , solid suit, serious non serious slam tries apply
- 3NT => 15-17, no 3C, broken 6 cards in M
- in all above sequences, Serious/ Non Serious slam tries apply after 3M support

\*7 Bergen Raises -4 Card Raises (Bergen Raises), Mini/Midi/Maxi/Void Splinters

1M - 2M+1 (ie 1 ♥-2 ▲ /1 ▲-2NT) mini(7-10)/maxi(14-15)/maxi void(12+HCP)

Next bid is relay – simple suit bid is singleton mini splinter 3M/4M = mini splinter in lost suit 3M+1 = maxi void splinter any 4 ♣/4 ♦ /4 ♥ after 1 ♠ and 3NT(for ♠ maxi)/4 ♣/4 ♦ after 1 ♥ are maxi splinters

1M - 2M+2 = Jacoby (14+ HCP) on which,

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First available bid shows some singleton – next bid relay – low-hi-hi response

2_{nd} available bid shows 5422 – next bid relay – low-hi-hi response

3M = 6 cards

3NT = Higher Range

4 \frac{4}{4} \frac{4}{4} after 1 4 and 3 4 after 1 4 / show 10 cards in two suits
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1M - 2M+3 = Limit+ on which last train game try, short suit(via puppet)/long suit slam tries.

1M - 2M+4 = Mixed 6 to-9 on which short suit(via puppet)/long suit slam tries.

1M - 3M = Preemptive on which short suit(via puppet)/long suit slam tries.

#### \*8 mini(7-10)/maxi(14-15)/maxi void(12+HCP)

1M - 2M+1 (ie 1 ♥-2 ♠ /1 ♠-2NT) mini(7-10)/maxi(14-15)/maxi void(12+HCP) Next bid is relav –

simple suit bid is singleton mini splinter

3M/4M = mini splinter in lost suit

3M+1 = maxi void splinter any

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4♣/4 ♦/4♥ after 1 ▲
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and 3NT(for ♠ maxi)/4♣/4 ♦ after 1 ♥ are maxi splinters

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1M - 3M+1 = Midi Void Splinter (8-11 HCP)
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1 ♠ - 4♣/4 ♦/4♥ and 1 ♥-3NT/4♣/4 ♦ (3NT for ♠s) are midi splinters (10-12 HCP)

\*9 2NT Puppet forces 3 ♣ (opener can bid 3 ♦ s with 3 aces on side + A/K to 4 in ♣ s)

Pass / 3♦ to play

3 ♥ Slam Invitational with 6+♣s and good 12+HCP, no second suit

3 ▲ Slam Invitational with 6+ ◆ s and good 12+HCP, no second suit
3NT Slam Invitational with 5 ♣s + 5 ◆ s and good 13 to 15HCP
4♣ Slam Force with 5 ♣s + 5 ◆ s and good 16+HCP on which 4 ◆ agrees ◆ s and 4 ♥/4 ▲ are cue bids agreeing ♣s. 4NT no interest on which responder passes or responds RKC answers

## \*10 2S = Puppet to 2NT

Opener can break the puppet if not averse to playing 5 minor with the following types of hands With 5-3 in minors and no 4 card Major can bid 5 card minor With 4-4 in minors (not 4441), will make cue bid in 3 Major Continuations after accepting Puppet of 2NT

- 3♣ 5Cards in ♣s and 4 cards any, 3♦ asks:- Continuations
  - a. 3♥/3♠/3NT shows 4 cards in ♥/♠/♦ (3NT just game 5♣s+4♦s, 4NT 14/16 5♣s+4♦s, With Slam Force hand having 5♣s+4♦s go via repeat stayman) Opener bids as below
    - i. 3NT no interest, other suits well stopped
      - i. Responder bids 4\*s with 6-4 hands, Slam INV +, on which support /4NT no interest, cue bid followed by 4NT is DRKC for Clubs.
      - ii. Responder bids 4 ♦ /4 ♥ /4 ♠ to show 6-5 hands with 13+HCP F1, on which support /4NT no interest, lower bid in other suits is DRKC lower suit and higher bid in other two suits is DRKC in higher suit.
    - ii. 4\*s not averse to playing in 5\*s
    - iii.  $4 \Leftrightarrow /(3 \bigtriangleup / 4 \heartsuit)$  cue bid with Major Fit
    - iv. 4♣/4♦ over 3NT is not averse to playing in 5♣/5♦
  - b. 4. shows 6. s + 4. s with slam INV + on which opener bids as below
    - i. 4♦ with ♦ fit
    - ii.  $4 \vee / 4 \wedge$  cue bid with Fit
    - iii. 4NT = no fit
  - c. 4 ♦ /4 ♥ /4 ♠ 6-5 hands with 10-12 HCP on which 4NT is to play, 1<sup>st</sup> available cue in other suits is DRKC for lower suit and next available cue in other suits is DRKC for higher suit.
- 3 shows 5Cards in s and 4 cards in s on which, opener bids
  - a.  $3 \vee / 3 \wedge$  concentration of values not clear on where to play

  - c. 4♣/4♦ fit not averse to playing 5 minor
- 3♥ shows 5Cards in ♦s and 4 cards in ♥s on which, opener bids
  - a. 4 ♦ fit in ♦ s and any other bid other than 3NT is fit in ♥ s
  - b. 3NT no interest in any of partner's suits on which 4 ♦ = 6 ♦ s +4 ♥ s 12+, 4 ♥ = 6 ♦ s +5 ♥ s 13+ F1 continuation is:- 4NT is to play, 1<sup>st</sup> available cue in other suits is DRKC for lower suit and next available cue in other suits is DRKC for higher suit.
- 3 shows 5Cards in s and 4 cards in s on which, opener bids
  - a.  $4 \bullet$  fit in  $\bullet$ s and any other bid other than 3NT is fit in  $\bullet$ s
  - b. 3NT no interest in any of partner's suits on which 4 ♦ = 6 ♦ s +4 ♠ s 12+, 4 ♠ = 6 ♦ s +5 ♠ s 13+ F1 continuation is:- 4NT is to play, 1<sup>st</sup> available cue in other suits is DRKC for lower suit and next available cue in other suits is DRKC for higher suit.
- 4 ♦ /4 ♥ /4 ♠ shows 6Cards in ♦s and 5 cards in ♣/♥/♠ with 11-13 HCP with continuation being:- 4NT to play, 1<sup>st</sup> available cue in other suits is DRKC for lower suit and next available cue in other suits is DRKC for higher suit.
- 3NT is choice of Games with 5-5 minors
- 4NT is Quantity with 4-4 minors

\*11 3 A Puppet to 3NT to Play OR to show all two suiter hands with longer minor (continuations after 3NT:-Pass to Play

4♣ 5Cards in ♣s and 4 cards any, 4 ♦ asks:- Continuations

a. 4 ♥/4 ♠/4NT shows 4 cards in ♥/ ♠/ ♦

i. 4NT no interest, other suits well stopped on which Responder passes OR bids to appropriate level in his/her suits OR responds with DKC with all gueens. (responses exclude his/her suits)

- ii. Support one of Responder's suits on which Responder passes OR responds with DKC
- iii. Cue bid of any other suit is DKC (lower for lower and higher for higher)
- 4 ♦ ♦skaawwd ᠑ Caandasinn ♣s on which, opener bids
  - a. 4 ♥/4 ♠ for DKC in ♣/ ♦
  - b. 4NT no interest on which Responder passes OR bids to appropriate level in his/her suits OR responds with DKC with all queens (responses exclude his/her suits)
  - c. 5  $\frac{1}{2}$  to play on which Responder passes OR responds with DKC
- 4 ♥ shows 5Cards in ♦ s and 4 cards in ♥ s on which, opener bids
  - a. Supports one of the suits with fit on which Responder passes OR responds with DKC
  - b. 4NT no interest on which Responder passes OR bids to appropriate level in his/her suits
    - OR responds with DKC with all queens (responses exclude his/her suits)
  - c. Cue bid of any other suit is DKC (lower for lower and higher for higher)
- 4 A shows 5Cards in A s and 4 cards in A s on which, opener bids
  - a. Supports one of the suits with fit on which Responder passes OR responds with DKC
  - b. 4NT no interest on which Responder passes OR bids to appropriate level in his/her suits OR responds with DKC with all queens (responses exclude his/her suits)
  - c. Cue bid of any other suit is DKC (lower for lower and higher for higher)
- 4NT shows 5-5 minors with Slam interest, on which, opener bids
  - a. Pass to play with very bad hand
  - b. Supports one of the suits with fit on which Responder passes OR responds with DKC
  - c. Cue bid of any other suit is DKC (lower for lower and higher for higher)
- 5. onwards are DRKC Both Queens steps with both minors which is forcing to 6/7 of minor

# \*12 Continuations after Puppet Stayman Over 2NT

- 3 ♦ denies 4/5 Card ♥ and also denies 5 Card ♠. Continuations:
  - a. 3 ♥ asks for 4 card ♠ on which 3 ♠ shows 4 cards in ♠ and 3NT denies 4 cards in ♠
  - - i. If opener bids 3NT, 4♥ shows 6 ♠s + 5 ♥s to play
    - ii. If opener bids 3NT, 4♠ shows 6 ♠s + 5 ♥s DKC both queens
  - c. 3NT to Play
  - d. 4♣ puppets 4 ♦ to shows 6 4 in Majors (self DKC)
  - e. 4 shows both Majors 5-5 either game only OR to be followed by DKC
  - f.  $4\Psi/4 \triangleq$  6 cards in bid Major + 4 cards in other Major with slam interest
- 3 ♥ shows 4/5 ♥s on which 3 ♠ is relay for finding 4/5 cards and 4♣/4♦ are Cues
- 3 A shows 5 cards on which  $4 \cdot 4 = 4 \cdot 4$  are Cues
- 3NT shows 4-4 in both Majors. Continuations:
  - a. 4 /4 show fit for / with either game only OR RKC followup
  - b. 4  $\sqrt{4}$  show slam interest in the bid Major

### Defence to Our Multi 2D

How to Bid against MULTI 2D Opening by opponents :

- DBL = Either a H suit overcall or balanced 15-17. Depending on subsequent bidding by opponents OR partner – may or may not bid again. Mostly the responder will have an idea what to expect and bid accordingly. He/She can JUST BID 2H ( at least 2/3 cards in H ) with NO interest in going to a higher level to startwith . Can bid 3H to Invite game if T/O Dbl includes a Normal H suit overcall . Can bid 2NT as General invite , can bid 2S/3C/3D as Natural and forcing . When you don't want to play in 2H( one or Zero H ) but have some balanced values with 3/4 /5 Diamonds or some bad hand --- PASS because quite likely the opener will BID his/her Major anyway . Whenever the T/O double is based on 15-17 balanced --- he/she bids appropriate number of NT ( 2NT or 3NT ) or rebids H or bids a second suit to describe.
- 2H === it is a TRANSFER overcall to 2S --- may or may not bid again , depending on subsequent biding. Responder bids 2S ( at least 1/2 cards in S ) with NO interest in going HIGHER or bids natural new suit OR NT with values.
- 2S = Transfer overcall of 3C === may have second suit ( 4-card D/H/S) can be 5/4 or 6/4 type hand or even 6/5 but reasonable values because you are expecting partner to play at 3-level even with POOR hand . Here also the responder bids ONLY 3C with NO interest - can have 1/2/3 cards in Club but non working hand. Otherwise bid natural as forward going . Overcaller can introduce second suit with better hands and better Dist.
- 4. 2NT Balanced 18-19/20 === PLAY the System ON OR at least Stayman and 3/4 level Transfers to keep it simple decide your COMFORT level .
- 5. 3C = Shows D suit may have H/S as second suit with 5/4 or 6/4 or even 6/5 distr. with reasonable values. Again the responder bids 3D with No interest for the time being. If Overcaller has a good hand and some second suit – can bid again. This way the Major FIT can be found
- 6. 3D = Shows D suit and second suit with C --- can be 5-4 / 5-5/6-4 etc with LONGER D or equal with C
- 7. 3H/3S 6+ cards and goodish hand ( about 8 trick hand )
- 8. 3NT = TO Play
- 9. 4C = TRF to 4H --- you want partner to play to protect his/her values.
- 10. 4D TRF to 4S --- SAME reason
- 11. 4H/4S == You want to play