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				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING	
1♣		3	3S	11 - 21 HCP	Single raise = 10+ (forcing to 2NT or 3C), 5+C, double raise = weak, weak jump shifts in comp, strong jump shifts not in comp			
1♦		3	3S	11 - 21 HCP	Single raise = 10+ (forcing to 2NT or 3D), 4+D, double raise = weak, weak jump shifts in comp, strong jump shifts not in comp			
1♥		5	3S	11 - 21 HCP	1NT = forcing, 1H-2S weak (0-6) 2NT = Jacoby; 1H-3H invitational; 3NT=12-15; 4 level splinter, weak jump shifts in comp, strong jump shifts not in comp		Cue bid over comp = strong raise 3-way Reverse Drury	
1♠		5	3S	11 - 21 HCP	Same as 1H		Same as 1H	
INT				15 – 17 HCP	Stayman, Jacoby and Texas transfers, 2S = range ask or clubs; 2NT = or both minors; 3x = 6+ slam interest; Invitational Smolen 2 level; Smolen 3 level; 4C Gerber (0/1/2/3)		Ignore Double Stolen Bid Doubles	
2♣	yes		3S	Artificial, strong - any suit(s), any shape	2D = waiting 8- points; cheapest m is 2 nd neg 2H/2S = 8+ points, 5+ H/S 3C/3D = 8+ points, 5+ C/D 2NT = 8+ points, no 5-card suit		Natural	
2♦		6	3S	6 – 10 HCP	2NT = Feature, new suit forcing		Natural	
2♥		6		6 – 10 HCP	2NT = Feature, new suit forcing		Natural	
2♠		6		6 – 10 HCP	2NT = Feature, new suit forcing		Natural	
2NT				20 – 21 HCP	Stayman, Jacoby and Texas transfers		Natural	
3♣		6		Pre-emptive	New suit forcing			
3♦		7		Pre-emptive	New suit forcing			
3♥		7		Pre-emptive				
3♠		7		Pre-emptive				
3NT				25-27 HCP				
4♣		7		Pre-emptive				
4♦		7		Pre-emptive				
4♥		7		Pre-emptive				
4♠		7		Pre-emptive				
4NT				Ace ask				
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING								
							1430, Gerber, Splinters, D1P2, R1P2, DEPO, Preemptive KCB	