

<b>W B F CONVENTION CARD</b>
<b>CATEGORY:</b> Natural - GREEN <b>NCBO:</b> MALAYSIA <b>PLAYERS:</b> Su Beng TAN / Jens RASMUSSEN
<b>SYSTEM SUMMARY</b>
<b>GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE</b>
1C prepared with transfer responses
1D= NAT 4+ card
5 card Majors with 1NT response F1
Strong 2C
Weak 2D/H/S
Balanced minimum opening =11HCP
1NT Openings = 14-16 HCP
2 OVER 1 = GF
<b>SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE</b>
Transfer responses to 1C opening bids
GAMBLING 3NT with little outside strength
Jump overcalls = PRE
LEBENSÖHL – FAST SLOW
<b>SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES</b>
After interference over 2C opening or Blackwood, pass = 2 <sup>nd</sup> step
<b>IMPORTANT NOTES</b>
<b>PSYCHICS:</b> Rare

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	Y	2	3D	11-13 BAL or 17-18 BAL or 11-19 in suit	Transfer responses [1]	After transfer responses, mostly NAT 2-way new minor after Opener show BAL [2]	
1♦		4	3D	11-19 HCP	Mostly NAT; 1D-2D=INV MIN	2-way new minor after 1D-1M-1NT [2]	
1♥		5	3D	11-19 HCP	1NT=F1; 2 OVER 1=FG; 2M=constr BERGEN raises with 4+ card fit (3C=7-9,	After 1H-1NT, 2C either MIN with C or MAX (any)	1M(3 <sup>rd</sup> hand)-2C=Reverse Drury, Then 2M=sub-normal
1♠		5	3D	As per 1H	3D=10-12, 3H=0-6); JACOBY 2NT (13-16) [3] 3NT= 3 card fit, JS=1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> CTRL; Double JS= SPL	After 1M-2M, new suit=HELP SUIT TRY Responses to JACOBY 2NT per [3]	
INT				14-16 HCP BAL	2c=STAY (may not have 4 M);	After 1NT-2C-2D; 2(3)H=5S/4H	
					4-SUIT TRANSFERS (2D=H;2H=S;2S=C;2NT=D)	Break transfer = MAX and fit	
					3m=6+ m with 2 top honours; 3M=6+ M slam int	Lebensohl after interference over 1NT [4]	
					4C= Gerber; 4NT= QUANT		
2♣	Y	0		20+ HCP	2D=NEG (0-5); 2H=+ve max. 2 CTRL;	Mostly NAT. After 2C-2D-2M, 3C=2 <sup>nd</sup> NEG	
					2S=>3CTRL unBAL; 2NT=>3 CTRL BAL		
					3-suit=2/3 Honours max. 3 CTRL		
2♦		5		5-10 HCP, may be 5 card if NV	2NT=F1 (OGUST) [5], 2M=F1	After 2D-2NT, 4C=Ask for CTRL [6]	
2♥		5		5-10 HCP, may be 5 card if NV	2NT=F1 (OGUST) [5], OM=F1; Others NAT, NF	After 2H-2NT, 4C=Ask for CTRL [6]	
2♠		5		As 2H above	As 2H above	As 2H above	
2NT				19-21HCP BAL	3C=PUP STAY. 3D/3H/3S/4C= transfer 3H/3S/4C/4D		
3♣		6		PRE, NAT	NAT. 3M =F1		
3♦		6		“	“		
3♥		6		“	“		
3♠		6		“	NAT		
3NT	Y			SOLID minor, little outside	4C=P/C		
4♣		7		PRE, NAT		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
4♦		7		“		1. Double jump in suit over 1M= SPL (singleton or void) plus fit	
4♥		7		“		2. After suit fit, jump in new suit = CUE (1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> round control)	
4♠		7		“		3. 4NT=RKCB (based on agreed suit or last bid suit)	
4NT	Y			Specific Ace Ask	5C=0; 5D/5H/5S/6C=Ace in suit; 5NT=2 Aces	5C=1/4; 5D=0/3; 5H=2 w/o Q; 5S=2 with Q	
5♣		7		PRE, NAT		4. Exclusion Blackwood	
5♦		7		“		5. Jump to 5 level Majors or 5NT after fit = GSF	
5♥		7		“		6. Cooperative Slam DBL in contested auction: 2 <sup>nd</sup> hand DBL=2 tricks;	
5♠		7		“		4 <sup>th</sup> hand DBL = 1 trick, pass with 2 and sacrifice with 0 defensive tricks.	

**Supplementary notes (Su Beng TAN / Jens RASMUSSEN)**

<p>Supplementary Sheet 1 – Transfer Responses to 1C Opening bid</p> <p>1D/1H shows 4+ card H/S Opener's action after 1C-1D/H:     Completes transfer with 2-3 card support &amp; min     Bids 1NT with 17-18 BAL     Limit raises with 4 card support     Bids 2NT with Max (may or may not have support)     Bids 3C with MAX, 3 card support &amp; 6 card m     Other bids NAT</p> <p>1S denies 4+ card Majors Opener's 1NT shows min &amp; BAL. Other bids NAT. Responder's action after 1C-1S-1NT:     Pass to play     2C shows 5+ card C     2D is ART FG; Opener bids suit up the line     2H/S = SPL, promises 9+ card minors, INV     2NT/3NT are NAT</p> <p>1NT/2C shows GF with 4+ card C/D 2D/2H shows weak H/S</p>	<p>Supplementary Sheet 4 – Lebensohl – Fast/Slow</p> <p>After 1NT – (say 2H),</p> <p>2S/3C/3D = NF 2NT (Lebensohl) require opener to bid 3C; then     Pass/3D = to play     3H = 4 card S plus stop in H     3NT = 4 card S but no stop in H 3H = 4 card S but no stop in H 3NT = no 4 card S and no stop in H</p> <p>Supplementary Sheet 5 – Ogust</p> <p>After 2D/2H/2S, 2NT is Ogust requesting opener to clarify as follows:</p> <p>3C = min points, 0-1 top cards in suit (A,K,Q) 3D = min points, 2 top cards in suit 3H = max points, 0-1 top card in suit 3S = max points 2+ top cards in suit</p>
<p>Supplementary Sheet 2 – 2-way new minor</p> <p>2-way new minor applies after the following bidding:     1C-1D-1H; 1C-1H-1S; 1C-1D/H-1NT; 1D-1H/S-1NT</p> <p>Responder's 2C requests Opener to bid 2D. Any subsequent bid by Responder is INV Responder's 2D = FG</p>	<p>Supplementary Sheet 6 – 4C Control Asking after weak 2 or pre-empts</p> <p>After Opener responds to Ogust following a weak 2 bid, 4C by partner is asking for CTRL</p> <p>Responses as follows: 4D = 0-2 CTRL (A and trump K = 2 CTRL; trump Q = 1 CTRL) 4H = 3 CTRL 4S = 4 CTRL 4NT = 5 CTRL</p>
<p>Supplementary Sheet 3 – Jacoby 2NT</p> <p>After 1M-2NT,</p> <p>3x = shortness 3M = extra values 3NT = sound BAL 4x = length in suit 4M = Min, BAL</p>	