DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING



| $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & \frac{1}{4} \\ & \frac{1}{2} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS | S Adam Stokka- Daniel Eriksson | SWEDENz |  |
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|  |  |  |  | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION |  |
| 1\% | X | 2 | 49 | a) (11) $12-14 / 18-19 \mathrm{bal}$ <br> b) 11-23nat |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \boldsymbol{1}-1 \mathrm{x}-1 \mathrm{M}=5+\boldsymbol{4}, 4+\mathrm{M} \\ & 1 \boldsymbol{x}-1 \mathrm{x}-1 \mathrm{NT}=(11) 12-13(14) \mathrm{NT}(\text { may contain } 4 \mathrm{M}) \\ & 1 \boldsymbol{N}-1 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{M}=\text { Typically min } 5 \cdot 4 \mathrm{M}(31) \text { or } 4 \bullet 4 \mathrm{M}(41) \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 1 * |  | 4 | 49 | Unbalance, may be 2452/4441 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{M}=4+\mathrm{M} \mathrm{~F} 1 ; 1 \mathrm{NT}=\text { Nat } 3-11 ; 2 \boldsymbol{2}=4+\boldsymbol{\mathrm { FG }} ; 2=4+\mathrm{FG} ; \\ & 2 \mathrm{M}=6+\mathrm{M} 3-8 ; 2 \mathrm{NT}=\text { bal inv; } 3 \boldsymbol{2}=4+\text { inv; } 3=\text { PRE; } \\ & 3 \mathrm{M}=\text { Singel* } 4+\text { supp; } 4 \boldsymbol{2}=\text { void; } 4 \mathrm{M}=\text { Nat } 2 \text { play } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| $1 \vee$ |  | 5 | 49 | 5+ 11-23 May have 4 $\downarrow$ in 3rd/4th |  |  |  |
| 14 |  | 5 |  | Same as above | Same as above ( $2 \uparrow=5+\bullet$ FG; 2 $\downarrow=8-113-4 \boldsymbol{4}$ ) | Same as above |  |
| INT |  |  | 49 | 15-17bal <br> May have 5 M or 6 m |  | $\text { 1NT-2 : } 2=\text { no } 4 \mathrm{M} ; 2 \mathrm{M}=4+\mathrm{M}$ $\text { 1NT-2 } / 2 N T: 3 * / \downarrow \text { likes }$ |  |
| 2* | X | 0 |  | $22+\mathrm{Bal} / \mathrm{FG}$ with $5+\mathbf{~} / \mathbf{4}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2-2 \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Nat} 5+\mathrm{M} \mathrm{FG} \\ & 2-2-24 \mathrm{NT}=22-24 \mathrm{bal} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 2 | X | 0 | 49 | Weak M / FG 5+* |  |  |  |
| 2v |  | 6 |  | 10-13 | $2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=5+\mathrm{F} 1 ; 2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{INV}+\mathrm{ask}, 3 \mathrm{~m}=$ Nat F1 $3 \boldsymbol{\varphi}=$ PRE |  |  |
| 2A |  | 6 |  | 10-13 |  |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  | 49 | 20-21 Bal |  |  |  |
| 3* |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | New = F1; $4 *=$ S/T w supp |  |  |
| 3 |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | New $=$ F1; $4 \boldsymbol{e}=$ S/T w supp |  |  |
| 3 |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | New = F1; $\quad 4 \boldsymbol{e}=$ S/T w supp |  |  |
| 3 n |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | New $=$ F1; $\quad 4 \boldsymbol{e}=$ S/T w supp |  |  |
| 3NT | X |  |  | Solid minor | $4 \boldsymbol{*}=\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C} ; 4 \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Nat}$ |  |  |
| 4\% |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | $4 \diamond=$ Nat FG; $4 \mathrm{M}=$ to play |  |  |
| 4* |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | 4M = to play; $4 \mathrm{NT}=$ RKCB; 5e = S/T w supp |  |  |
| 4 |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | $4 \boldsymbol{*}$ = to play(NV); $4 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{RKCB}$ |  |  |
| $4 \wedge$ |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free | 4NT $=$ RKCB |  |  |
| 4NT | X |  |  | Specific ace asking | $5 \boldsymbol{*}=$ no Ace; $5 \leqslant / \boldsymbol{*}=$ that Ace; $5 N T=$ Ace; $6 \mathrm{X}=2 \mathrm{Aces}$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1430 (5NT = odd + void, 6X = even + void) Voidwood (1430) |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Cue bids up the line 1st or 2nd |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 4NT often 2 places to play, 5NT often pick a slam |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | When FP pass and pull is S/T |  |

