

# 2<sub>NT</sub> overcall after major preempt

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(2M) – ?

- 2<sub>NT</sub> = 16-18 BAL, promises M stopper

(2♥) – 2<sub>NT</sub> – (P) – ?

- 3♣ = forces 3♦, 1-♥ GF OR weak with ♦
- 3♦ = 4♠ GF
- 3♥ = forces 3♠, 5+♠, weak or GF
- 3♠ = long minor/minors, no ♥ shortness, 3<sub>NT</sub> = ASK
- 3<sub>NT</sub> = to play
- 4♣ = 6♣ 5♠, may have shortness
- 4♦ = 6♦ 5♠, may have shortness
- 4♥ = 6+♠
- 4♠ = minors
- 4<sub>NT</sub> = quantitative

(2♥) – 2<sub>NT</sub> – (P) – 3♣

(P) – 3♦ – (P) – ?

- PASS = weak with ♦
- 3♥ = 3-♠
- 3♠ = 4♠

- $3\text{NT} = 5\spadesuit$

- $4\clubsuit = 6+\spadesuit$

$$\begin{aligned} & (2\heartsuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 3\clubsuit \\ & (\text{P}) - 3\diamondsuit - (\text{P}) - 3\heartsuit \\ & (\text{P}) - ? \end{aligned}$$

- $3\spadesuit = \text{no } \heartsuit \text{ stopper}$
- $3\text{NT} = \text{good } \heartsuit \text{ stopper}$

$$\begin{aligned} & (2\heartsuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 3\clubsuit \\ & (\text{P}) - 3\diamondsuit - (\text{P}) - 3\heartsuit \\ & (\text{P}) - 3\spadesuit - (\text{P}) - ? \end{aligned}$$

- $3\text{NT} = 3\spadesuit$
- $4\clubsuit, 4\diamondsuit = \text{own suit}$

$$\begin{aligned} & (2\heartsuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 3\diamondsuit \\ & (\text{P}) - ? \end{aligned}$$

- $3\heartsuit = \text{minors}$
- $3\spadesuit = 4\spadesuit$
- $3\text{NT} = \text{to play}$

$$\begin{aligned} & (2\heartsuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 3\heartsuit \\ & (\text{P}) - 3\spadesuit - (\text{P}) - ? \end{aligned}$$

- $\text{PASS} = \text{weak, } 5+\spadesuit$
- $3\text{NT} = \text{PASS/correct}$
- $4\clubsuit/4\diamondsuit = \text{NAT}$

$(2♥) - 2NT - (P) - 3♠$

$(P) - 3NT - (P) - ?$

- $4♣/4♦ = NAT$ , fixed
- $4♥ = 1♠$ , both minors
- $4♠ = void ♠$ , both minors

$(2♥) - 2NT - (P) - 4♥$

$(P) - 4♠ - (P) - ?$

- $4NT = RKCB 1430$
- $5x = EX 0314$

$(2♠) - 2NT - (P) - ?$

- $3♣ = forces 3♦, 1-♠ GF$  OR weak with  $♦$
- $3♦ = forces 3♥, 5+♥$ , weak or **GF**
- $3♥ = long minor/minors$ , no  $♠$  shortness,  $3♠ = ASK$
- $3♠ = 4♥, GF$
- $3NT = to play$
- $4♣ = 6♣ 5♥$ , may have shortness
- $4♦ = 6♦ 5♥$ , may have shortness
- $4♥ = 6+♥$
- $4♠ = minors$
- $4NT = quantitative$

$(2\spadesuit) - 2NT - (P) - 3\clubsuit$   
 $(P) - 3\diamond - (P) - ?$

- PASS = weak with  $\diamond$
- $3\heartsuit = 3\text{-}\heartsuit$
- $3\spadesuit = 4\heartsuit$
- $3NT = 5\heartsuit$
- $4\clubsuit = 6+\heartsuit$

$(2\spadesuit) - 2NT - (P) - 3\clubsuit$   
 $(P) - 3\diamond - (P) - 3\heartsuit$   
 $(P) - ?$

- $3\spadesuit = \text{no } \spadesuit \text{ stopper}$
- $3NT = \text{good } \spadesuit \text{ stopper}$

$(2\spadesuit) - 2NT - (P) - 3\clubsuit$   
 $(P) - 3\diamond - (P) - 3\heartsuit$   
 $(P) - 3\spadesuit - (P) - ?$

- $3NT = 3\heartsuit$
- $4\clubsuit, 4\diamond = \text{own suit}$

$(2\spadesuit) - 2NT - (P) - 3\diamond$   
 $(P) - 3\heartsuit - (P) - ?$

- PASS = weak,  $5+\heartsuit$
- $3NT = \text{PASS/correct}$
- $4\clubsuit/4\diamond = \text{NAT}$

$(2\spadesuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 3\heartsuit$   
 $(\text{P}) - 3\spadesuit - (\text{P}) - ?$

- $4\clubsuit/4\diamondsuit = \text{NAT}$ , fixed
- $4\heartsuit = 1\spadesuit$  both minors
- $4\spadesuit = \text{void } \spadesuit$  both minors

$(2\spadesuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 3\spadesuit$   
 $(\text{P}) - ?$

- $4\clubsuit = 4\heartsuit$
- $3\text{NT} = \text{to play}$

$(2\spadesuit) - 2\text{NT} - (\text{P}) - 4\diamondsuit$   
 $(\text{P}) - 4\heartsuit - (\text{P}) - ?$

- $4\spadesuit = \text{RKCB } 1403$
- $4\text{NT} = \text{EX } \spadesuit \mathbf{0314}$
- $5\clubsuit/5\diamondsuit = \text{EX } \mathbf{0314}$