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**Algorithm 1:** Function Main( $G, PES$ )

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**Input:** An instance of the  $A$ -CONN problem where  $G$  has a partial  $k$ -tree topology with a given  $PES=(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)$

**Output:**  $Conn(G)$

**Notation:**  $Temp$  is a temporary table.

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1 Initialization: initialize a table  $T_H$  for each  $k$ -clique  $H$  of  $G$ .  
                         $T_H$  contains all possible state types on nodes of  $H$ .  
2 for ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, |V| - k$ ) do  
3    $Temp = T_{v_i,1}$   
4   for ( $j = 2, 3, \dots, k$ ) do  
5      $Temp = t\_merge(Temp, T_{v_i,j})$   
6   end  
7    $T_{v_i,base} = t\_merge(Temp, T_{v_i,base})$   
8   foreach ( $key \in T_{v_i,base}$ ) do  
9     if ( $v_i$  is a singleton part of  $key$ ) then  
10    | delete  $key$  from  $T_{v_i,base}$   
11    end  
12    else  
13    | delete  $v_i$  and its associated position from  $key$   
14    end  
15  end  
16 end  
17 return  $Conn(G) = \sum$  values in table  $T_{v_{n-k},base}$  corresponding to state types  
                        that have exactly one connected component
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