Panel TD Promotion Exam – 2009



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	should attempt all the coor White Book.	uestions. You are allowe	ed to use your Law Book, Orange
Marks	s are given for correct	give Law references or 0 answers – not long essa nts (particularly no. 26)	OB references. ys. So if it helps give your answers
There	e is no time limit – prob	ably about an hour and	a half.
Ques			nswer, 1 for the law reference) ace in the box.
1)	North bids at South's	s turn to call.	
South	n must pass whenever	it is his turn to call.	
-	TRUE	FALSE	Law references:
2) At this	The auction goes s point West drops •A	1NT pass 2♥	S
East r	must pass whenever it	is his turn to call.	
-	TRUE	FALSE	Law references:
3) shinin	West / East swap to ng brightly. They do it v		ast has sensitive eyes and the sun is
They	can do this.		
-	TRUE	FALSE	Law references:

4) mate	In an old fashioned s ch one table wants to re				rds are dealt at the table for each ave passed out.
The	TD will let them.				
	TRUE		FALSE		Law references:
5) a ma	In a Swiss Teams coatch for the next match.	ompet	ition a tea	ım wants	to rejig its team line-up at the end of
The	TD will let them.				
	TRUE		FALSE		Law references:
6) The	East/West move to t correct pair arrives; the	W	N	E 1NT	auction starts S pass ir way and a new auction starts S
The	TD cancels the board g	jiving	NS 60%,	EW 40%	and does nothing else.
	TRUE		FALSE		Law references:
7)		W		pass	S 2♣ 4♥
	t leads ♠A. AT his first t N:1NT, S:2♣.	end urn to		st asks fo	r a review of the auction but stops it
He	can do this.				
	TRUE		FALSE		Law references:
8)		W	N		S
			h calls ea		ne TD and asks to change his call to the is happy to allow the change.
The	TD will not allow the ch	ange	and rules	the 2♥ b	id must stand.
	TRUE		FALSE		Law references:

9)		W	N 1 ∀	E pass	S 3♥	
		Pass	4NT	pass	5♦	(RKCB 1 or 3)
5 ∀ i	s a permitted rectification	Pass n call.	5NT	pass	4♥	(meant to show 2 kings)
	TRUE	F	FALSE		Law	references:
10) of tu	Dealer East. North orn and thought he was			turn. Ea	ast calls	1♥. He did not see the 1♠ out
The	TD treats this as an ins	ufficient	bid.			
	TRUE	F	FALSE		Law	references:
11)		W 1NT Redb	N dble epass	E pass 2.	S dble	
	TD is called when East point.	bids 24	. The a	uction s	tands a	nd continues normally from
	TRUE	F	FALSE		Law	references:
12) ♠A f	South is declarer in a rom dummy. Dummy sa					in his hand but calls for the from his own hand.
Dum	my can do this.					
	TRUE	F	FALSE		Law	references:
13) dum						plays ♥3. He calls for ♥A but w East leads ♠A at trick 4.
Trick	3 stands as played as	does th	e lead t	o trick 4		
	TRUE	F	FALSE		Law	references:

	oth of his hearts v J 10 fro	a heart from dummy forcing out the om hand but does not notice. He d to lead for trick 13.
The lead passes to West fo	r trick 13.	
TRUE	FALSE	Law references:
15) South is defender a	nd has ♦K 7 as 2 penalty	cards. He is on lead.
Declarer (West) can choose	e which card is led.	
TRUE	FALSE	Law references:
	tricks; East and West bo	t fails to play his last trump. At trick 6 oth agree to the claim and East faces
East's revoke is not establis	shed.	
TRUE	FALSE	Law references:
17)		S dble
Then East says 'I didn't meallows the change to 3♥. So		TD deems it was inadvertent and to pass.
The fact that South doubled	d 3♠ is unauthorized infor	rmation to North. Law references:
TRUE	FALSE	Law references.
	es and discovers that Sou Ill other cards are correct	
TRUE	FALSE	Law references:

Section 2 - Orange Book

Questions 19 to 21 are on the current Orange Book as amended on August 1st 2007, August 1st 2008 and August 1st 2009. (1 mark per response)

19) Is the final or only call in the following auctions alertable or not?

	West	North	East	South	Meaning
а	1♠				5-card major, not forcing
b	1.				Might be only a 2-card suit
С	1♥	2*	3♥		Pre-emptive
d	1♥	double	3♥		Pre-emptive
е	1♥	1 🛦	double		Penalty
f	1♠	double	2♠	pass	
	pass	double	pass	3♣	
	pass	pass	3♠	double	Double is for take out
g	1.	1 ♦	double		Double shows 4-card spade suit

a)	Alertable	1	not alertable
b)	Alertable	1	not alertable
c)	Alertable	1	not alertable
d)	Alertable	1	not alertable
e)	Alertable	1	not alertable
f)	Alertable	1	not alertable
g)	Alertable	1	not alertable

In no 20 and 21 say whether the answer is true or false and give an OB reference.

20)	In a Simple System event you can play an opening bid of 2♥ or 2♠ as showing a
weak 2	2 showing a 6-card suit and 6 to 10 points with 2NT as an enquiry response.

	True / False	OB ref:	
,	At level 2 it is permittent at double) of any agree	ed to play a 1NT overcall as a takeout bid (similar to a distrength.	а

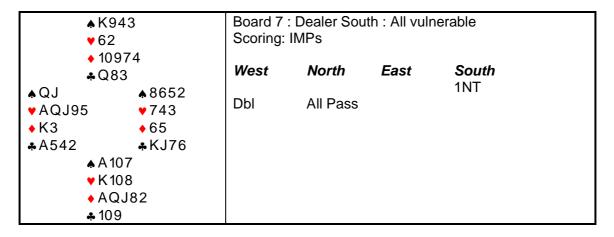
OB ref:

True / False

Section 3 – Judgement Rulings

In Q22 to 25 answers should include your ruling together with Law Book and OB references in support of those answers. Answer in the areas provided. If you need more space there is a blank page on the back cover.

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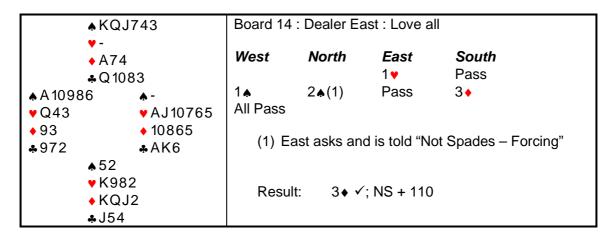


Trick 1	♥Q won by South's king
Trick 2	♦ to ♦K
Trick 3	♦10 to ♦K
Trick 4	Cash ♥A
Trick 5	Cash ♥J – both North and South discard Clubs
Trick 6	v to v 10

Declarer finishes with ten tricks – two Hearts, four Spades and four Diamonds. EW call TD to complain about revoke.

What ruling do you make?

(3 marks)



You are asked to make a ruling from a match played privately (From Hubert Philips match) i.e. by telephone.

EW ask for a ruling. They argue that there has been Misinformation and Unauthorised Information and question North's pass of 3♦.

North will tell you that the partnership agreement is that 2 in this auction is natural and that he has the system notes in the car to demonstrate this. (You may assume this is correct).

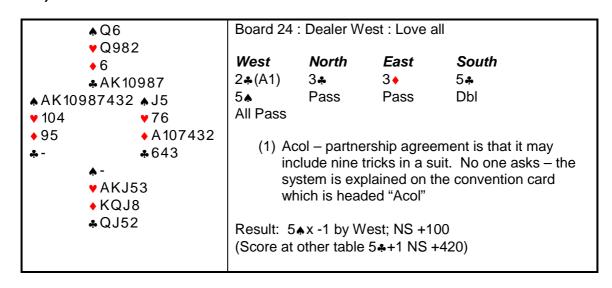
South will tell you that they do not play that often; she was a little unsure but thought it probably asked for a Spade stop for NT.

If you ask North why he passed 3♦, he will say "There was an opening bid on my left and a response on my right. Hearts have been bid and not supported – in view of my void I thought partner had a stack of those and we were high enough."

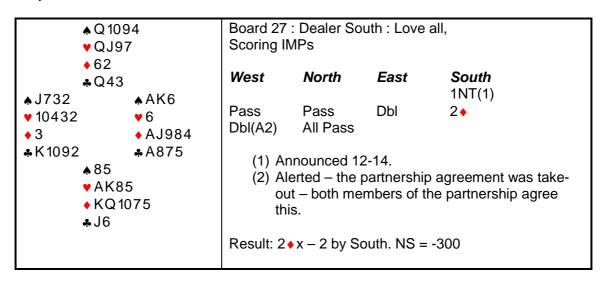
If you ask North, what a change of suit means after an overcall by partner he will agree that it is natural, forcing and encouraging"

Answer the questions on the next page.

a)	What ruling do you make?	(3 marks)
b)	What do you tell the players on the telephone?	(3 marks)
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South calls you at the end of the hand. He complains about West's 2* bid and says he has been misinformed. He expected a strong hand. With the correct information about West's hand he and his partner would definitely have bid 6* and made it.



You are consulted by a TD colleague by phone. He is at a Bridge Club where a late round of the Nicko is in progress. He has been asked for a ruling on this board.

The opening lead was a small Heart. Declarer won in dummy and played a trump to the ♦K and then the ♦Q. West discarded a Spade

Declarer finished with six tricks. She argued that although EW had misdefended she might have done better.

The Double of 2♦ should not have been alerted. She had believed that it was for penalty and had made an inferior play in trumps as a result. If she had known that the double was take-out she would have finessed the ◆10 on round one and might have made more tricks.

What advice do you give your colleague?	(5 marks)

Section 4 – Organization.

Answer in the area provided. If you need more space there is a blank page on the back cover.

26)

You are asked to run a regional heat of the National Pairs. The format is two sessions of 24 boards each, played with duplimated boards provided by Aylesbury. For each session you have two sets numbered 1-32. Your heat is scored locally.

(You should consider scoring, equipment needed, section sizes, seating, movements of

You are told to expect 44 qualified pairs (22 tables), but two of these pairs have not replied to the entry form and may not turn up. 3 pairs have asked for a stationary position.

How would you prepare and organise your tournament?

lines, placement of stationary pairs and how to adapt if one or both of the two "dubious" pairs do or don't arrive. Where would you situate a missing pair if you had one?) (10 marks)					

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Answers
1
      true
             31B
2
      false 24B
3
      false 5A
4
      false 22A1
5
      true
      false 15C
6
7
      false 20B
8
      false 25B1
9
      true
             27B1b
      false 28B
10
11
      false 36A
      false 43A1b
12
13
      false 45D
14
      false 67B2
15
      true
             51A
16
      false
             63A3
17
      true
             16D2
18
                                                                   (36 marks)
      true
             1 or any other that covers it.
19 a) no 5G3 (c)(2)
b) yes 5G1(a)
c) yes 5G2 (c)(3)
d) no 5G3(e)(3)
e) yes 5E2(a)
f) no 5E2(a)
g) yes 5G4(g)
20 true. OB 9D9 - revised 1/8/09
                                                                   (9 marks)
21 true. OB 11N9 - revised 1/8/09
22 is a straightforward equity revoke though lots of tricks
                                                                   (3 marks)
23 A pretty messy UI case I'm for 4 Spades doubled -2 as I recall (Ruling of First
Instance)
                                                                   (3,3 marks)
24 Doesn't meet Extended Rule of 25 so ask about why opened 2 Clubs
    +3/-3 IMPS
                                                                   (3,3 marks)
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25 Haven't finally made my mind up. I don't think there's damage but should we adjust if there was? Declarer could have protected herself very easily (5 marks)

26 Just want sensible answers 13 / 9 three moving lines - small number of NS stationary pairs - sit out in 2 board rounds - 21 awkward number 12 Blackpool? and 9 or 13 Mitchell and 8 table Hesitation

Sensible timings - Use of boards -Minus marks for disobeying conditions (10 marks)

Grand	total	75 mar	ks
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Red NS	1 to 13	Stay	Red NS	1 to 13
Red EW	1 to 9	Go to	White NS	1 to 9
Red EW	10 to 13	Go to	White EW	1 to 4
White NS	1 to 9	Go to	Red EW	1 to 9
White EW	1 to 4	Go to	Red EW	10 to 13
White EW	5 to 9	stay	White EW	5 to 9