

# Convention Chart Changes

## November 2018

Initial Effective Date

## April 2022

Text changes

- Change Effective Date
- Clarify that pre-alerts and written defenses are also required for transfer openings on Open Chart
- Definition of Overcall changed to clarify that responding to a double isn't an "Overcall"
- Add a section prohibiting PDIA's and psyching certain artificial bids on Basic/Basic+
- Basic Opening Bids #8 changed to match Basic+ Opening Bids #8
- The word "Weak" is removed and "has" changed to "with" in Basic and Basic+ Opening Bids #9
- The word "Weak" is removed from Basic Opening Bids #10 and Basic+ Opening Bids #11
- Basic Chart Responses and Rebids #10 removed, and language from Basic+ Chart copied instead.
- Replace Basic Chart Overcalls and Competitive Bids #8 with the more restrictive language from Basic+ Chart.
- Remove " (Leading low from doubletons must be pre-alerted.)" from Basic Lead and Carding Agreements
- Add "If an agreement is disallowed, then adding an unlikely hand type to it does not make it allowed." to Open / Open+ Chart and an example to the examples.
- Change "any seat" to "first or second seat" in Open Chart Opening Bids #1
- Change "with a void or 10 cards" to "with a void or with 10 or more cards" and add "or with fewer than 10 HCP" in Open+ Chart Opening Bids #6
- Change "points" to "HCP" in Basic Chart Opening Bids Example #1
- Add "in first or second seat" of Open/Open+ Opening Bids Example #1
- Change "longer than 5 boards" to "of six boards or more" in Open/Open+ Opening Bids Example #5

Formatting changes

- Page numbers added
- Red coloring removed
- Capitalize "High Card Points" in Open/Open+ Passes Before Opening Example #3