

Modified SWINE

If opponents X our weak 1NT opening for penalty in sequences such as:

1NT – X or

1NT – P – P – X

We use **SWINE** defense as follows

- With 2 touching suits and at least 4-4 (or best 4-3 if our distribution is 4-3-3-3) we bid:
 - 2C = C/D
 - 2D = D/H
 - 2H = H/S
- With a long suit we redouble, partner will bid 2C
 - We pass with C being our long suit
 - We correct to our long suit
- We pass, requiring partner to redouble after which:
 - We pass if we are happy to play 1NT redouble contract
 - 2C shows C and a Major. Partner pass with Club support or bid 2H asking for the major
 - 2D shows D and S. Partner selects
 - We bid 2H/2S this shows 5+H/S with good values. This shows a better hand than redouble and then bidding 2H/2S