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**2010 CONGRESS DIRECTOR EXAM
PAPER 1 – MOVEMENTS AND SCORING**

INSTRUCTIONS

- ◆ Please use black or blue pen.
- ◆ Answer all questions on the exam paper. Add additional page(s) should there be insufficient space for your answers.
- ◆ You may use any reference material you wish but the paper is to be your own work.
- ◆ Hand completed paper to Exam Supervisor at Paper 2. You should also bring:
 - your Law Book
 - QBA Tournament Regulations
 - one other piece of reference material (optional)

QUESTION ONE

Answer the following questions about QBA approved red masterpoint congresses:

(a) May host clubs have additional regulations for a congress providing they are not contrary to the QBA Regulations or the 2007 Laws of Duplicate Bridge?

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(b) Who must give consent before an advertised format may be changed?

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(c) To whom should table levies be forwarded?

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(d) What is the maximum time after the event for receipt of table levies by this person?

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(e) What is the standard method for scoring a Butler Pairs congress?

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(f) If a congress is to be held on 5th June, on what date must entrants qualify for a congress graded by masterpoints?

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(f) Where in the QBA Regulations do you find a list of information that must be included on an entry form?

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(g) To whom, other than the Director, may a player make a complaint of suspected improper, unethical or discourteous behavior by another player?

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(h) In an event that is held over more than 1 day. List the times for correction of scores?

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(i) What penalties are available for a mobile phone that rings at the table during a teams event?

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(j) Two forms must be completed after a congress. What are they, who fills them out and to whom are they sent? Is there an alternative to filling out these forms and mailing them?

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(k) Why is a QBA Psyche Register maintained?

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QUESTION FOUR

(a) You are directing a Club Championship event over two sessions conducted under QBA Regulations. For the qualifying session, three 9 table sections all played 27 boards using completed Mitchell movements. You have announced that first, second and third NS and EW from each section shall qualify for the Championship Final.

NS Pair A and NS Pair B in one section are tied for third. How do you determine which pair proceeds to the Championship Final?

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(b) In a small congress, two 7 table sections play Mitchell movements in a single qualifying session. Sections are to be scored separately. The field is to be divided into a 5 table Championship, a 5 table Plate and a 4 table Consolation. You have announced that first and second from each NS and EW field shall qualify for the Championship as well as the next best NS and EW and that ties will be split according to the QBA Regulations.

The first four places in each field are as follows:

Section 1				Section 2			
NS		EW		NS		EW	
Pair A	228	Pair E	218	Pair I	204	Pair M	198
Pair B	164	Pair F	198	Pair J	188	Pair N	196
Pair C	164	Pair G	166	Pair K	172	Pair O	166
Pair D	156	Pair H	150	Pair L	134	Pair P	148

Which pairs play in the Championship, and why?

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QUESTION SEVEN

Detail on the diagram the starting positions for pairs and boards for a 12 table Appendix Mitchell Movement, base 7, with 28 boards to be played. Draw arrows to show how boards and pairs will move after playing the first round.



QUESTION ELEVEN

Matchpoint the following Round 1 results from a Swiss Pairs event.

Use the results to produce a draw for Round 3.

Names for the contestants are not required.

Staple your Round 1 Results and your Round 3 Draw to this paper.

NB A computer programme of your choice may be used for this question.

NS Pr	EW Pr	1	NS	EW	2	NS	EW	3	NS	EW	4	NS	EW	5	NS	EW
1	17	4HN 8		100	4SN 10	620		2SE 9		140	3DN 11	150		3SW 9		140
18	2	3SW 9		140	3NTS 8		100	3SW 8	100		5HXW 7	1100		4HW 9	50	
19	3	4HN 8		100	3NTS 9	600		2SW 8		110	2SS 10	170		3SW 9		140
4	20	4HN 7		150	3NTN 7		200	2HN 9	140		5DN 11	600		4DS 10	130	
5	21	4HN 8		100	3NTS 7		200	3HS 8		50	4SN 11	650		3HE 11		200
22	6	4SXW 10		590	5SN 10		100	3SXW 8	200		5DN 11	600		4SW 9	50	
23	7	4DS 10	130		2NTS 7		100	2SXW 8		670	4SS 6 (R)		400	4SW 9	50	
8	24	3HN 8		50	4SN 10	620		2NTN 8	120		5DS 11	600		3DN 9	110	
9	25	3HN 8		50	4SS 10	620		3HN 8		50	4SS 12	680		3SW 9		140
26	10	4HN 8		100	3NTS 7		200	2NTN 4		200	3DN 11	150		3SW 9		140
27	11	4HN 10	420		3NTS 8		100	3HN 8		50	4SN 11	650		3SW 9		140
12	28	4HN 9		50	3NTS 8		100	3SW 8	100		2SN 11	200		4DS 8		200
13	29	4HN 7		150	3NTS 8		100	2CE 9		110	3NTN 7		200	3SW 9		140
30	14	3NTN 7		100	5SN 10		100	2HN 9	140		3NTN 7		200	3HE 9		140
31	15	4SXW 6	800		4SS 10	620		3DN 7		100	4SS 12	680		1NTS 9	150	
16	32	4HXN 7		500	4SXS 10	790		3DN 8		50	6SS 12	1430		3DN 9	110	