63rd WORLD CONGRESS OF CHESS COMPOSITION Rhodes 16-23 October 2021

19th Romanian Tzuica Tourney

Judges: Vlaicu Crişan & Eric Huber (Romania)

Theme: Helpself compositions (hs#n/hs=n) with at least 2 solutions showing each at least one Pelle move.

Please take in consideration the following **definitions**:

- 1. In a **help-selfmate** problem in 'n' moves (denoted hs#n), White starts and Black collaborates with White in order to reach a position of s#1 (selfmate in one move) at move 'n' (the last move). Helpselfstalemates are also accepted.
- **2. Pelle move**: A pinned unit moves and is still pinned after its move. A unit is pinned if its removal from the board would leave its King in check.

Problems with twins or zeroposition are allowed. All fairy pieces and conditions are accepted, provided that the problem is checked by a known solving program.

Example 1 for Orthodox section Example 2 for Fairy Section Marjan KOVAČEVIĆ S.K. BALASUBRAMANIAN Julia's Fairies 2021 3rd Prize Seetharaman-64 JT, JF 2013 hs#2.5 2.1.1.1.1. hs#3 2.1.1.1.1.1 (2+5)Superguards 1...Rh4 2.Rh5 Bxd4 3.Be5+ Bxe5# 1.Ka1 Se3 2.Qa7 Sg2 3.Qg1+ Kxg1# 1...Be5 **2.Bf6** Rxh3 **3.Rh4+** Rxh4# 1.Ka2 Sd2 2.Qb2 Sb1 3.Qg2+ Kxg2# 2.Rh5/2.Bf6 and 3.Be5+/3.Rh4+ are the 2.Qa7/2.Qb2 and 3.Qg1+/3.Qg2+ are the Pelle moves.

Prizes - bottles of Tzuica, hopefully deliverable during 2021 WCCC.

The tourney is open worldwide, however the prizes will be for 2021 congress participants only.

Pelle moves.

<u>Deadline</u>: Wednesday, October 20th, 8 p.m

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