

I would like to thank Council for supporting my attendance at the EBL TD course in Antalya. I finished 27th of 59 with 70.34% and was awarded a Grade B. My highlight was finishing 3rd in the final test. The overall standard of participants was much higher than Prague, (my Antalya mark would have placed me 5th there). The upside of this was group discussion was particularly good.

As usual the course itself was well run and of high quality. The facilitators were very good. The lectures were mostly very useful.

Of particular interest to Council was a lecture on 'The Regulating Authority' and regulations. In due course I will look to see whether there are any actions that Council might (or should) take. (I await the uploading of the lecture.)

Of interest to local TDs and players were discussions on Ton Kooijman's Laws commentary and his paper on Comparable bids.

Links below.

In addition to the WBFLC Commentary on the 2017 Laws (<http://www.worldbridge.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/2017LawsCommentary.pdf>) there is a further Commentary on Law23 written by Ton Kooijman for the WBFLC. You can access this article at <http://www.eurobridge.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Comparable-Call.pdf>

If Council wish I am willing to give a feedback seminar to interested NIBU members.

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