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20th Romanian Tzuica Tourney

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Theme: Helpself compositions (hs#n/hs=n) with at least 2 solutions showing each at least two Consecutive Follow My Leader.

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. Consecutive Follow My Leader (FML)**: In three consecutive half-moves of each solution, the following pattern occurs:
- Piece X leaves square A
- Immediately, Piece Y leaves square B and moves to A (first FML)
- Immediately, Piece Z moves to square B (second FML). Possibly, Piece X = Piece Z.

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 Petko A. Petkov Petko A. Petkov StrateGems 2009 KoBulChess 2019, dedicated to G. Foster **(III) ⊕**₩ 킈 2.1.1... hs#3 2.1.1... (5+3)Pepo ≪=Vao; □=Pao 1.Rb1 Re1 2.Bc3 Re5 3.Be1+ Rxe1# 1.VAb8 Kd6 2.VAd5 Bf3 3.PAc7+ Rxd2# 1.Bb2 Bd4 **2.Rd1 Bg1 3.Rd4+** Bxd4# 1.PAc8 Kc6 2.PAd5 Rd2 3.VAc7+ Bxf3#

Prizes - diplomas.

The tourney is open worldwide.

Deadline: Wednesday, November 16th, 8 p.m.

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Pepo: An attacked king has no power. In particular, he can no longer attack the opposite king. A king can be captured only if he is attacked by at least 2 pieces.