



## Officer Comments – Free To Move : A Night Exploring Freedom

Title	Synopsis provided by the Applicant	Applicant's Recommended Rating	Officer Comments
<b>Free To Move : A Night Exploring Freedom (shorts)</b>			
<b>Reckoning (15mins)</b>	Is a multimedia short film and performance piece created by a collaboration of Liberty EU Portfolio artists - Choreographer and Storyteller Akeim Toussaint Buck, Filmmaker Ashley Karrell, Animator Benedetta Fasson and Writer mandla rae. Weaving together contemporary lyrical dance, archive, animation and storytelling, Reckoning has been created from the Reckoning with Refugeedom archives which tell the stories of generations of displaced people in their own words.	12A	No concerns with 12A certification.
<b>Negus (11mins)</b>	The title bestowed on Emperors of Ethiopia, the Kings of Kings. This is an initiation, a story of anointing beckoned to the receiver from within. A striking figure narrates this poetic world of form and formlessness, evoking a sense of spirit and other worldliness. Dance and music transiently immerse this journey from the still darkness of the unknown to the coronation of the child. Our ascension doesn't start from any outward action, it takes place from our acknowledgement of our greatness.	12A	No concerns with 12A certification.
<b>Displaced (40mins)</b>	is the cinematic reimagining of Akeim Toussaint Buck's one-man dance theatre show: 'Windows of Displacement'. Created and Co-Directed by Ashley Karrell, the film continues the exploration of themes such as: displacement, race, culture and imperialism. Focussing more on the African Diaspora via the settings of the inner-city community. Taking aspects of the live work and re-contextualising them in real life spaces that support in amplifying this feeling of displacement. Giving the viewer a fraction of the feeling of being displaced people. Visually captivating with striking imagery and virtuoso dance, 'Displaced' takes the viewer on a journey calling for reflection and global change.	12A	No issues with a 12A rating. This was classified as a PG in June 2022 by LSC.