

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

**Tuesday, 2nd August, 2022**

**PRESENT:** Councillor R Downes in the Chair

Councillors R Downes, S Hamilton and  
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### **1 Election of the Chair**

RESOLVED – To elect Councillor R Downes as Chair throughout the duration of the meeting.

### **2 Appeals Against Refusal of Inspection of Documents**

There were no appeals against refusal.

### **3 Exempt Information - Possible Exclusion of the Press and Public**

There were no exempt items.

### **4 Late Items**

There were no formal late items.

### **5 Declaration of Interests**

No interests were raised at the meeting.

### **6 Certification of a Film – ‘Carajita’**

The report of the Chief Officer (Elections and Regulatory) set out an application for the certification of a film to be screened at Vue Cinema, 22 The Light, The Headrow, Leeds, LS1 8TL

The screening is scheduled to take place in September 2022. The applicant provided an advance screener for the film to members and recommended a 15 certificate in respect of the film titled, ‘Carajita’.

It was noted that the promoter’s assessment of the film was accurate and there were no concerns with a 15 rating for this film in accordance with the BBFC guidelines.

The following were in attendance for this item:

- Chris Fell (Applicant)

The Legal Officer outlined the procedure to be followed.

In response to a question from a member, it was outlined that the film was proposed to be shown as part of Leeds International Film Festival. The proposed intention was to show the film at the venue weekly and the film had received a 15 certification for the Glasgow Film Festival.

**RESOLVED** – To grant the application ‘Carajita’ as 15 as applied for.

### **7 Certification of Films - Leeds Festival 2022**

The report of the Chief Officer (Elections and Regulatory) set out an application for the certification of films to be screened at the Cinema Tent at Leeds Festival, Bramham Park, Thorner Lane, Leeds, LS23

The screening is scheduled to take place between Thurs 25th and Sun 28th August 2022.

A list detailing the films that requested certification, including, links to view the films online, a synopsis and the applicant's recommended rating, was provided in the Agenda pack at Appendix B for members.

The following were in attendance for this item:

- Marvin Bell (Applicant)

The Legal Officer outlined the procedure to be followed.

In response to questions from members, it was noted that the films would be shown in the cinema tent at Leeds Festival from midnight, the certification rating for all the films would be listed outside the tent and stewards would be monitoring viewers in attendance to ensure they are of the correct age for each certification.

**RESOLVED** – To grant the application as requested as outlined in the report.

(The meeting concluded at 10:30)