



REPORT OF:	Leeds for Europe
TO:	Leeds City Council Licensing Committee ██████████, Principal Licensing Officer Entertainment Licensing - Leeds City Council ██████████ ████████████████████████████████████████
SUBJECT:	Film Certification
DATE OF REPORT:	08/02/2024

1.0	FILM INFORMATION
Film	Betrayed: The Truth About Brexit
Director	Caollan Robertson
Country, runtime, year	UK, 1 hour 16 minutes, 2023
Synopsis	In <i>Betrayed: The Truth About Brexit</i> , Byline TV explores the deep, long term factors that led to Brexit, going further back than just the 2016 referendum, how both campaigns played a role, the chaos Brexit has unleashed since then and why the people who voted for it now feel betrayed by the very people they chose to follow in 2016.
2.0	DETAILS OF PROPOSED SCREENING
When	23 rd March 2024
Where	Hyde Park Picture House
Context	As part of the National Day for Rejoin (the European Union).
3.0	SCREENER AVAILABLE?
Yes/No	
	If Yes, complete, 4.0. If No, complete 5.0
4.0	RECOMMENDED CLASSIFICATION – SCREENER AVAILABLE
4.1	We advise that the film Betrayed: The truth about Brexit is given a 12A certificate. In making this recommendation we have taken into account the following nine areas which the BBFC use to determine certificates and we can speak to each to explain our recommended certificate.
4.2	Dangerous Behaviour
4.3	Discrimination

4.4	Drugs
4.5	Language
4.6	Nudity
4.7	Sex
4.8	Sexual Violence and Sexual Threat
4.9	Threat and Horror
4.10	Violence
5.0	CLASSIFICATION – SCREENER UNAVAILABLE
5.1	We advise that a *** certificate is required for the film ***.
	Any film without a screener for the committee to view, an 18 certificate is required by Leeds City Council, with reference to the below disclaimer.
Disclaimer	This film does not contain any content which would more likely than not, render the film liable to be classified as R18 if considered in accordance with the BBFC Classification Guidelines.
6.0	PREVIEW COPY (Sharing is prohibited by copyright)
Trailer link	
Screener link	
Password	
Alternative copy details & notes	

Certification Controls at Hyde Park Picture House

As per our premises licence, the Hyde Park Picture House follows BBFC certification guidance, which is listed with each individual film on our [website](#).

We have several checks in place to manage access to films based on this guidance. These checks are as follows:

- Our [terms & conditions page](#) includes clear guidance on certification in a way audiences can understand and which includes a link to the BBFC if further information is required.
- Certificates are added to every listing on our box office system in addition to our website and this limits the tickets available to films where appropriate. E.g. An audience member can't buy a child's ticket for a 15 or 18 certificate film.
- We have also established a Content Warning system which allows us to give additional content information to audiences to help them make informed choices about what they watch. Full guidance on this can be found on our [website](#).

- Adding the cert to the Box Office system also enables our Front of House staff to identify the age restrictions for films. All staff are fully trained to both understand and then manage certification and age restrictions for films, so we can both advise on entry and appropriateness of a film and refuse sales where required.
- All tickets bought in advance or on the day are checked by a staff member on the door to the cinema auditorium so if an underage person has bought a ticket over the phone or internet in advance they would have to engage with a staff member at ticket check point and entry would be refused and ticket refunded.