

Ref: FOI / 2253

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Email: @panoptesmail.com

Dear Ms

Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request Licensing Information

I refer to your FOI request and respond as follows:

Request:

Please can you provide a list of all establishments in your jurisdiction which have been issued a licence to show films, both "theatrical" and "non-theatrical". Please include the following information:

- Name of establishment
- **Address**
- Details of their license such as any conditions, restrictions or type.

Response:

Premises that have been issued with an annual Cinematograph Licence under the Cinemas (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 for the purpose of giving Cinematograph Exhibitions within the Derry City and Strabane District Council area:

Name of establishment	Address	Details
Derry Omniplex	Quayside Shopping Centre, 42 Strand Road, Derry, BT48 7PX	See standard conditions attached
The Nerve Centre (Cinema)	7-8 Magazine Street, Derry, BT48 6HJ	See standard conditions attached
Brunswick Movie Bowl Cinema	Brunswick Superbowl, Pennyburn Industrial Estate, Derry, BT48 0LU	See standard conditions Attached

If you are dissatisfied with our response you have rights of review and appeal; these rights consist of two review processes.

Firstly our internal review procedure is available by contacting:

John Kelpie Chief Executive Derry City and Strabane District Council 98 Strand Road Derry BT48 7NN Tel 028 71253253 or email john.kelpie@derrystrabane.com

Secondly, you can appeal directly by contacting the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow

CHESHIRE SK9 5AF Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or email: casework@ico.org.uk

I would advise however, the Information Commissioner has indicated that a review will not be undertaken unless the Council has first had an opportunity to re-consider its decision.

Yours sincerely

Head of Health & Community Wellbeing

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Standard conditions:

This licence is granted subject to the observance and performance by the Licensee(s) and his (or their) assignees or transferees of the conditions laid down in the Cinematograph (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations (NI) 1995, the Cinematograph (Children) Regulations (NI) 1965 and the Schedule of Licensing Conditions attached hereto.

This licence may be suspended by the Council in the event of any failure on the part of the Licensee(s) to observe and perform the requirements of the aforesaid Regulations and the Schedule of Conditions, or of the building becoming otherwise unsafe, or of any material alterations being made in the building or enclosure without the consent of the Council.

Unless previously revoked or suspended, this Licence shall remain in force and effect until the [insert date 1 year from date of issue] and no longer, and application for its renewal must be made to this Council not less than twenty-eight days previous thereto.

Conditions of Licence

- 1. No film shall be exhibited unless:
 - It has received a 'U', 'PG', '15', or '18' certificate of the British Board of Film a) Censors; or
 - b) It is a current newsreel, which has not been submitted to the British Board of Film Censors.
- 2. No person apparently under the age of 18 years shall be admitted to any exhibition at which there is to be shown any film which has received an '18' certificate from the British Board of Film Censors.
- 3. No persons apparently under the age of 15 years shall be admitted to any exhibition at which there is to be shown any film which has received a '15' certificate from the British Board of Film Censors.
- 4. Notwithstanding the conditions herein before contained, a film may be exhibited or person or any class of persons, may be admitted thereto if the permission of the Council is first obtained and any conditions of such permission are complied with.
- 5. A representative or written statement of the terms of any certificate given by the British Board of Film Censors shall be shown on the screen immediately before the showing of any film to which it relates and the representation or statement shall be shown for long enough and in a form large enough for it to be read from any seat in the auditorium.
- 6. There shall be prominently exhibited at each public entrance whenever the premises are open to the public a notice indicating in tubular form and in clear, bold letters and figures:
 - the title of each film to be shown on that day, other than trailers and films of a) less than 5 minutes duration;
 - the approximate times of commencement of each such film; b)

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- c) whether each such film has received a 'U', 'PG', '15' or '18' certificate from the British Board of Film Censors; and
- d) the effect of such 'U', 'PG', '15' or '18' certificates in relation to the admission of persons under the age of 18 years.
- 7. The nature of any certificate received in respect of a film from the British Board of Film Censors shall be clearly indicated by the figure 'U', 'PG', '15', or '18' in any advertisement of the film displayed at the premises.
- 8. No advertisement displayed at the premises of a film to be exhibited at the premises shall depict as a scene or incident in the film any scene or incident which is not included in the film as certified by the British Board of Film Censors or approved for exhibition by the Council as the case may be.
- 9. Where the Council has given notice in writing to the licensee of the premises objecting to an advertisement on the grounds, that, if displayed it would offend against good taste or decency or be likely to encourage or incite to crime or to lead to disorder or to be offensive to public feeling, that advertisement shall not be exhibited in the premises except with the consent in writing of the Council.
- 10. Where the Council has given notice in writing to the licensee of the premises prohibiting the exhibition of a film on the grounds that it contains matter which, if exhibited, would offend against good taste or decency or would be likely to encourage or incite to crime or to lead to disorder or to be offensive to public feeling, that film shall not be exhibited in the premises except with the consent in writing of the Council.

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