

MEETING OF THE REVIEWING COMMITTEE ON THE EXPORT OF WORKS OF ART AND OBJECTS OF CULTURAL INTEREST (RCEWA)

HELD ON WEDNESDAY 15 September 2021

VIDEO CONFERENCE

MINUTES OF THE POLICY DISCUSSION

Present: Sir Hayden Phillips, Chair
Christopher Rowell
Christopher Baker
Stuart Lochhead
Peter Barber
Tim Pestell
Mark Hallett

Anastasia Tennant, Senior Policy Adviser, Arts Council England
Peter Rowlands, RCEWA Senior Manager, Arts Council England
Mafalda Raposo, Cultural Property Manager, Arts Council England
Molly Byrne-Robinson, Cultural Property Officer, Arts Council England
Stephen Wemyss, Cultural Property Officer, Arts Council England
Sarah Posey, Director, Cultural Property, Arts Council England
Amy Chambers, Cultural Property Assistant, Arts Council England
RCEWA legal adviser, DCMS

1. Minutes of the previous meetings held on 7 July 2021 and matters arising

- 1.1 Apologies received from Pippa Shirley, Committee member.
- 1.2 The Committee welcomed newly appointed members, Mark Hallett and Tim Pestell.
- 1.3 The minutes of the meeting, which had taken place on 7 July 2021 were considered and agreed.

2. Update on current cases

- 2.1 A paper giving details of current deferrals had been circulated before the meeting.

3. Repatriations from non-nationals

- 3.1 The Committee discussed DCMS's proposed process for considering export licences for objects being repatriated from non-national institutions and provided feedback.

4. Annual Report 2020-21 edition

- 4.1 The Committee considered the proposal for the digital-only approach to the 2020-21 edition of the Annual Report and requested sight of a mock-up.

5. Any other business

- 5.1 The Committee considered the dates for the 2022 meetings.

6. **Date of next meeting: Wednesday 13 October, Video Conference**
- 6.1 This was noted.