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

HELD ON WEDNESDAY 10 November 2021

VIDEO CONFERENCE

MINUTES OF THE POLICY DISCUSSION

Present: Sir Hayden Phillips, Chair

Christopher Rowell Christopher Baker Pippa Shirley Stuart Lochhead Peter Barber Tim Pestell Mark Hallett

Anastasia Tennant, Senior Policy Adviser, Arts Council England Peter Rowlands, Senior Manager, Cultural Property, Arts Council England Mafalda Raposo, Manager, Cultural Property, Arts Council England Molly Byrne-Robinson, Cultural Property Officer, Arts Council England Stephen Wemyss, Cultural Property Officer, Arts Council England Liz Johnson, Director, Museums & Cultural Property, Arts Council England Frances Wilson, Manager, Export Licensing, Arts Council England Amy Chambers, Cultural Property Assistant, Arts Council England RCEWA legal adviser, DCMS

- 1. Minutes of the previous meetings held on 15 September 2021 and matters arising
- 1.1 The Chairman, on behalf of the Committee, thanked Stephen Wemyss for his service
- 1.2 The minutes of the meeting, which had taken place on 15 September 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. Annual Report 2020-21 edition
- 3.1 The Committee considered the mock-up of the 2020-21 edition of the Annual Report and provided feedback.
- 4. Any other business
- 4.1 Discussed options for depositing the Committee's records.

- 4.2 It is hoped that DCMS's proposed process for considering export licences for objects being restituted from non-national institutions will be discussed with DCMS at the Committee's December meeting.
- 5. Date of next meeting: Wednesday 8 December, Hybrid meeting, National Gallery & Video Conference
- 5.1 This was noted.