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To/ the Mayor and Each member of Limerick City and County Council

Re: Attendance at Cineposium Launch 2023 in Los Angeles

Film in Limerick were successful this month in winning the competitive bid to host the Cineposium 2023 Conference, a major global film conference.

AFCI's Cineposium event, which will take place in the last week of September 2023, brings Film Commissions and industry leaders from around the world together to discuss policy, economic development and screen production and will serve as an opportunity to showcase Limerick to major studio executives.

Over the past decade, Cineposium has taken place in the United States, France, New Zealand, Spain, South Korea, Russia and Colombia. The Annual Cineposium Conference connects AFCI members and film industry professionals with production industry partners and policy makers worldwide.

Film in Limerick were represented at the event launch and subsequent post announcement events by Councillor Francis Foley, Mayor of the City and County of Limerick and Head of Marketing and Communications.

The costs involved (flights and accommodation) were in the region of €3,000.00.

In accordance with section 142 (5) of the Local Government act 2021, as amended, the retrospective approval of the Council is hereby sought for the attendance of Councillor Francis Foley, Mayor of the City and County of Limerick, at this launch.

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