FAQ - The Danish Film Institute's Embassy Film Package

- How do we get hold of the Embassy film package?
 Please contact Cecile Desaint at: ceciled@dfi.dk with the name and address of your Embassy or Consulate. Please note that you will have to cover the shipping expenses. The packages are sent by diplomatic mail from the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
- How do we get screening rights clearance for specific films? The Danish Film Institute has prepared an overview of which countries the films have been sold to. The lists are available to download on the link below. If a film has been sold to a country, which the representation covers, then the representation must negotiate the terms for the screening with the local distributor. A film can get sold after the lists are made available so, if a film doesn't appear to have a local distributor, then the representation must check with the film's international sales agent whether it has been sold in the meantime.

Download link:

https://app.cinesend.com/transfers/603df8c649b7c76ab1024904

- Who do we contact if there is no local distributor listed?
 If there is no local distributor in your country, contact the film's international sales agent. This information is available on the film's information page at www.dfi.dk and on the back of the Blu-ray covers.
- Do we have the right to screen the films if we have contacted the international sales agents and the films haven't been sold to a local distributor?

If you have contacted the international sales agent and there is no local distributor you have the right to screen the film.

• Will we have to pay a screening fee to the local distributor or the international sales agent?

Every screening has to be cleared with the local distributor and a screening fee may be applicable in some cases. If there is no local distributor, you don't have to pay a screening fee. Please note that it is possible to apply for funds to cover the screening fee from the general funds of the Agency for Culture and Palaces. For more information, please contact Ida Fuglsang-Damgaard at: ifd@slks.dk

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CVR-NR. 56-85-83-18 EAN-NR. 5798 00 794085 How do I get hold of films, which are not in the Embassy film package?

If the representations wish to screen newer titles they can try to contact the local distributors.

 Is it possible to screen the films on other formats i.e. DCP, DVD, screening links, etc.

It's not possible for the representations to require other films, or other formats, through DFI than those available in the Blu-ray film package.

• Is it possible to get a copy of the Embassy film package if we are not representing an Embassy or a Consulate?

No, you will have to get the Embassy film package from your local Embassy or Consulate, who are responsible for clearing the rights and making sure that all the rules are followed (according to the guidelines attached to the Embassy film package).

• Is it possible to have other subtitles than the ones that are already on the Blu-ray?

No, we can only provide you with the subtitles that are already on the Blu-ray.

 Do we have the right to screen the films from the Embassy film packages on TV or on-line?

We do not have the rights to screen a title on TV, but the Embassy Film Package have been added to Festivalscope, where they can be screened on-line. You can read more about this in the guidelines.

 How do we cover expenses to events when showcasing the Embassy Film Package or participating in film festivals?

It is possible to apply for funds to cover events, seminars or projects related to the Embassy Film Package from the general funds from the Agency for Culture and Palaces. For more information, please contact Ida Fuglsang-Damgaard at: ifd@slks.dk

