



## Certificate of Special Recognition

Be it known that I,

**Daniel J. McKee**

Governor of the State of Rhode Island,  
wish to acknowledge

### **The State Ballet of Rhode Island Herci Marsden, Artistic Director**

In celebration of your **65<sup>th</sup> Sapphire Anniversary Celebration.**

In recognition, as the state's first civic regional ballet company of your dedication to preserving and promoting the art of ballet through performances, education, and community engagement.

I join the residents of Rhode Island in expressing our greatest admiration and deep gratitude for a job well done.

I am pleased to issue this Certificate of Special Recognition.

You have my very best wishes for continued success.



*Given under my hand and the seal of the Office of the Governor of the State of Rhode Island, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.*

Daniel J. McKee  
Governor