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**DESIGNATION OF BALLET WEST'S THE  
NUTCRACKER AS A STATE LANDMARK**

2024 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Chief Sponsor: Luz Escamilla**

House Sponsor: Thomas W. Peterson

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill designates a living historic landmark.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- defines the term "living historic landmark"; and
- designates Ballet West's production of Willam Christensen's "The Nutcracker" as a living historic landmark.

**Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**

None

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

ENACTS:

**63G-1-1001**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

**63G-1-1002**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

Section 1. Section **63G-1-1001** is enacted to read:

**Part 10. State Living Historic Landmark**

**63G-1-1001 . Living historic landmarks.**

(1) As used in this part, "living historic landmark" means a cultural event:

- (a) that is significant to the history, culture, economy, and character of the state;
- (b) that is unique to the state;

- 27 (c) that is first in the nation;
- 28 (d) that has occurred in the state at least annually for no less than 65 years;
- 29 (e) for any designation after May 1, 2024, that is nominated by the Legislative
- 30 Management Committee for the Legislature's consideration as a living historic
- 31 landmark; and
- 32 (f) that the Legislature designates as a living historic landmark in Section 63G-1-1002.
- 33 (2) A living historic landmark is not owned or managed by the state.
- 34 Section 2. Section **63G-1-1002** is enacted to read:
- 35 **63G-1-1002 . Living historic landmarks designated.**
- 36 Ballet West's production of Willam Christensen's "The Nutcracker" is designated
- 37 as a living historic landmark.
- 38 Section 3. **Effective date.**
- 39 This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024.