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## **Comments Received:**

Proposed changes to the passport renewal form violate the First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution. The changes violate the First Amendment's protection against being required to convey governmental ideological messages that the passport holder disagrees with. The Trump administration's insistence that sex and gender can be grouped neatly into two categories is both cruel in its intent and scientifically wrong -- if the lived experience of trans Americans isn't enough, then just ask anyone with Turner or Klinefelter syndrome. The previous passport system of allowing "X" as a gender marker was harming no one and benefiting many; it should be continued.