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## **Comments Received:**

The purpose of this comment is to directly address the question of "Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department." I do not believe the information suggested to be collected is necessary for the function of the department or passport services. The biographical data on the passport is largely unnecessary and adds unneeded government oversight when passports are used mainly for identification of individuals and visas. Adding more markers unnecessarily introduces more points of incorrect data and more burden on those completing a renewal. It does not assist in the main government function of passport renewal.