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Hello,

I strongly oppose the change of the gender marker on US passports proposed under the "Defending Women from Gender Ideology Extremism and Restoring Biological Truth to the Federal Government" executive order. It is an unnecessary burden on government resources, has no biological or medical basis for being proposed, and will actively harm transgender and non-binary Americans at ports of entry/exit. This measure will also lead to increased and unnecessary scrutiny of even cisgender Americans who may not fit some arbitrary template of what a male or female human being "ought to" look like, and will lead to procedural delays, lawsuits and huge amounts of money wasted in enforcing this. I urge this body to reject the measure out forth.

Thank you for your time,
Abhijit