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## **Comments Received:**

E.O. 14168 is legally illegitimate (and scientifically nonsense), and the federal government has no business or interest in defining sex or gender. Passports and passport applications should reflect accurate information about who a person currently is and how they present, not what they looked like on the day they were born.

This is obvious in all other cases. Do we require baby pictures on passports? If a person's hair has gone grey or white with age, do we demand they instead report the hair color they had as a child? The passport application even asks for a person's height. Should all applicants report themselves being about twenty inches tall, or instead should they provide accurate information about how tall they are today? If a person was assigned one gender at birth, but lives their public life as another gender, why insist they report old information on the application, rather than new and fundamentally more accurate information?