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This change will lead to an enormous hole in our national security and huge additional expenses to passport application and verification procedures. The purpose of the passport is IDENTIFICATION - passports patently fail to accurately identify holders if the current sex or gender identification does not match that listed on the passport. As a former Fraud Prevention Manager whose job it was to detect passport and visa fraud, I can say from first-hand experience that this change will greatly debilitate our abilities to administer passports and prevent fraud, as well as our abilities to identify threats. It is a pointless and counterproductive attack on trans Americans that will undermine our national security and make travel far more difficult for a large number of Americans, thereby violating their constitutional rights as citizens.