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It is hard to imagine any legitimate gain to the U.S. government or the people of the U.S., or any harm that may be prevented, by preventing transgender and gender-non-conforming individuals from obtaining and using a passport that displays their correct gender identity. There literally just isn't any reason for it other than senseless prejudice. If a trans person uses a passport with their correct gender on it, nothing changes. No one is harmed, no matter how many hysterical hypotheticals about locker room assault are advanced (this almost never happens, and if you're concerned about potential harm from people who have been convicted or credibly accused of sexual assault, I would point you towards the President, Secretary of Defense, and/or Republican Supreme Court Justices first). The person just gets to live their life in a manner consistent with their gender identity. For this reason, I call upon the State Department to refrain from making transgender and gender-non-conforming people's lives harder for no good reason, and continue to exercise common sense by not banning them from using their correct gender identity on official documents.