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## **Comments Received:**

My understanding is that this change would prohibit people from changing things like a name or gender marker change on their passport to align with the "Defending Women from Gender Ideology Extremism and Restoring Biological Truth to the Federal Government" guidance. Thiss strikes me as wasteful and silly. I am a cisgender woman and I do not need to be defended from someone else's passport. It's rare that I ever even SEE someone else's passport. Surely the very idea that I could be harmed by someone else living their life as they please and having documents that allow them to move through the world is laughable. Trans people exist. Many already have made these changes to their passports with zero negative impact. The only reason to change the rule now is to harm them.