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Requiring a marker indicating a change of gender is a violation of basic expectations of privacy, and serves no purpose other than to enable discrimination. This is a policy motivated by a bigoted agenda that seeks to systematically target and attack trans people. This is the first step in process of taking away the freedom of movement from trans Americans, making it dangerous or impossible for them to travel. Restricting access to a US passport behind the requirement to divulge this information is unconstitutional and, moreover, wrong.