Author Full Name: Anonymous Received Date: 02/21/2025 03:31 PM

## **Comments Received:**

This proposal and the executive order it is based on are premised on an assertion that's not biologically correct. There are anywhere near about 30 different intersex examples. So someone who does not have just xx or xy chromosomes is not just male or female. They're intersex. And there are over 30 potential intersex examples. We've got genetic differences. We have people with xxx chromosomes. We have androgen insensitivity, xy genetically, that may have female external sex characteristics and internally have testes. There's a five alpha reductase deficiency that causes changes in testosterone metabolism, xy that may have female external genitalia or ambiguous genitals. The point being... There are people who are neither male or female. And so the premise of the executive order-- and this proposal-- is just incorrect.