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The biological reality of intersex people and the needs of trans folks to be accurately represented on their documentation both at home and abroad cannot simply be erased by a proclamation that there are only "two sexes." This change will harm both intersex and trans people by preventing them from accurately representing themselves to the United States government and governments abroad upon arrival at foreign borders. This public comment specifically requests to "Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department." It does not take a scientist or sociologist to clearly understand whether the information collected correctly is relevant or not. Intersex and trans folks will continue to exist and they should be able to properly report that so that the Department functions properly