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Due to the unreasonable time, resource, and financial burden that the proposed changes in passport policies place on passport officials, American citizens, as well as all officials who use passports to identify individuals for security purposes, it is quite apparent that the proposed changes complicate the work of security personnel more than they help them. Adding binary gender codes to documentation does not enhance an officials ability to identify an individual, which is the purpose of this documentation.

Furthermore, the lack of any meaningful contribution to officials' ability to identify an individual they pose an unjustifiable violation of an individuals personal privacy and right to personal liberties due to the unacceptable opportunities that they create for people to comment on the physical appearance and sexual orientation of United States Citizens. These policies do not contribute in any way to the security of American citizens or the United States, and they instead create openings for hatred and discrimination to run unchecked in spaces where they harm the American public and they key American values of the rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.