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I oppose the change to the process of renewing a US Passport pertaining to the requirement of indicating one's assigned sex at birth and changing the sex if it does not match the applicant's assigned sex at birth. The gender of transgender individuals does not match the sex they were assigned at birth. Their identities deserve to be acknowledged and accepted by the government, because the right to equal protection under the law under the 14th Amendment includes them as well. Denying the rights and identities of transgender individuals by putting the wrong sex on their passport is incredibly damaging to their mental health.