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## **Comments Received:**

The changes made include changes related to the "Defending Women from Gender Ideology Extremism and Restoring Biological Truth to the Federal Government" executive order is a threat to freedom of speech by preventing individuals from identifying as the gender identity of their choosing and will likely cause additional strain on the department, both in the time and effort needed to accurately determine an individual's biological sex, but also in instances of error in correcting or manually overriding incorrect gender markers on various documentation.