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I strongly object to the rule change associated with choosing a gender identifier for one's passport. The right to choose one's gender identifier is established law/practice under the Administrative Procedures Act and this new executive order violates the requirement for a 60 day notice and comment period. The attempt by the administration to circumvent this requirement indicates an expectation of a negative response, an awareness that a fundamental civil right to express approval or disapproval by the public is being blocked.

Please allow this period of review to take place regarding this abridgment of civil liberties. Thank you.