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## **Comments Received:**

We should not be trying to enforce identification based on a transphobic agenda. The idea of basing identification based on gametes, which are not even identifiable with the eyes, is frankly a waste of time for immigration officers to enforce. Trying to make this happen would only lead to increased delays for immigration processing, increased invasive and unnecessary strip searches, and humiliation for an American simply trying to return home. All that aside, what if the American in question doesn't even look like the biological sex they were assigned to at birth? What if they look like a woman, instead of the Male marker they were born with? It would only lead to confusion for the purposes of identification. Truthfully, we should get rid of the gender marker entirely. Even some cisgender women and men, through no fault or action of their own, do not look like the "ideal" version of a woman or a man, respectively. The gender marker also ignores those who are born intersex, or with chromosomes that are not strictly XX or XY.