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Please do not require sex assigned at birth to be the gender noted on a passport.

There are many situations where this is not the correct representation of the individual. The proposed regulation makes no sense scientifically as even a cursory good-faith review of the literature shows. It adds unnecessary and demeaning burdens to applicants for a passport. Even though the percentage of people affected is small, a situation that arises in 1% of people means that 300,000 individuals are affected.

There is no reason beyond bigotry to make this change.