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# PETITION

## TO THE HOUSE OF COMMONS IN PARLIAMENT ASSEMBLED

**We, the undersigned residents of Canada, draw the attention of the House to the following:**

THAT trans-identified people are subject to discrimination and harassment because of their gender identity and gender expression;

THAT the *Canadian Human Rights Act* does not explicitly protect people from discrimination or harassment based on their gender identity or gender expression;

THAT the lack of clear legal prohibition of transphobic discrimination legitimizes that discrimination;

THAT a Canadian Human Rights Act Review Panel unanimously recommended in 2000 that the *Canadian Human Rights Act* be amended to explicitly protect transgender and transsexual people from discrimination;

**THEREFORE, your petitioners call upon Parliament to enact legislation to include “gender identity” and “gender expression” in the *Canadian Human Rights Act*.**

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