

Testimony Item 240 on Transgender Day

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I'm writing to testify in opposition to Item 240 a Proclamation to make March 31st a "Transgender" Day of Visibility. In Islam we believe acting against the natural state in which Allah (God) created us is prohibited.

Men and women are created by Allah to be distinctly biologically different. We also do not support or tolerate homosexuality which is also prohibited in Islam.

We do not accept this in Islam and we do not accept this in our Islamic places of faith

<https://www.wweek.com/portland/article-9419-the-trans-muslim.html>

You are supporting mentally ill people in their delusion who often want to have their body changed back and many cannot and commit suicide

<https://news.sky.com/story/hundreds-of-young-trans-people-seeking-help-to-return-to-original-sex-11827740>

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