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Dear Members of the House:

We hope this letter finds you and your loved ones healthy and well during these tumultuous times.

We serve on the Stop Vaccine Passports Task Force sponsored by the Committee on the Present Danger: China and Women's Rights Without Frontiers. We write out of a sense of grave urgency because of President Biden's call for schools and businesses to require vaccination, following full FDA approval of the Pfizer shot on August 23. President Biden has already mandated vaccines for federal workers, and a similar mandate is looming for the armed forces, as well.

As we have explained in our <u>Open Letter</u> to President Biden and the congressional leadership, the digital platform used by vaccine passports can provide the same totalitarian functionality as that used by the Chinese "Social Credit System." The risks of such a system being abused to deprive the American people of their liberties, livelihoods and possibly even their <u>lives</u> is too great to allow it, or even its precursors, to be introduced here.

China has instituted a "Social Credit System" that gives it totalitarian control over every person in the nation. This platform tracks and integrates the following aspects of every individual: medical history, social media posts, bank accounts, credit cards, shopping history, internet search history, residence, place of employment, criminal history, facial and gait recognition, network of relationships, religious activities, participation (or the lack thereof) in the "Xi-Jinping thought" app, and real-time physical location.

All this information is fed into a central database and used to issue a "social credit score." Citizens are rewarded or punished, based on these scores. Those with a high score are able to participate freely in society. Those with a low score cannot travel, borrow money, may be fired from their jobs, and may be unable to get their children into school. Those with very low scores, such as political dissidents, can be cut off from credit card use, a big problem in China's increasingly cashless society. Dissidents can be found (and potentially disappeared) in minutes, along with their networks of relationships.

While it may begin with only carrying digital information regarding whether an individual is vaccinated, the rest of the functionality of the Chinese Social Credit System can be integrated into the "Vaccine Passport" system in a matter of minutes. Whether such digital documentation is governmentally issued or produced by corporate sponsors, the practical effect will be to provide a platform that, in the wrong hands, could usher in totalitarianism in the United States.

You and your colleagues have sworn to God an oath to support and defend the Constitution against all enemies, foreign and domestic. It is, therefore, your duty to protect American freedoms guaranteed by that founding document in the face of the mortal threat to liberty posed by vaccine mandates and passports. We call on you to demonstrate by the aforementioned actions that you are fulfilling your promises to the American people, who are in desperate need of your effective leadership.

Specifically, we urge you to take the following steps:

- <u>Sign</u> the Stop Vaccine Task Force's <u>open letter</u> and send it to each of your Senate colleagues for signature so you can show the public you actually are committed to *acting* to save our Republic.
- Translate that commitment into legislation by **co-sponsoring a bill that would stop vaccine passports** such as Senator Cruz's "No Vaccine Passports Act" and supporting House bills like Representative Clay Higgins' "Employee Rights and Freedom Act" and Representative Diana Harshbarger's "No Vaccine Passports for Americans Act."
- Utilize every available media platform to educate the public about your determination to stop these totalitarian measures. We fear that your constituents are not hearing about your leadership role in preserving their constitutional rights.

We await your positive response.

Respectfully,

The Stop Vaccine Passports Taskforce

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Attachment

Attachment 1: Invitation to Sign — Influencers and Leaders Open Letter to President Biden

As you may know, various states within the U.S. and various nations around the world are considering or have imposed "vaccine passports." We are very concerned that digital "vaccine passports," by whatever name, can be used to restrict everyone's constitutional rights to freedom and privacy, which sit at the very heart of our culture and democracy.

"Vaccine Passports" are not merely the digital equivalent of the yellow vaccine cards long used in international travel. According to tech experts, the digital platform used by Vaccine Passports can incorporate the same mass surveillance technology as the platform used by the Chinese "Social Credit System."

We have launched an initiative to inform the public about the danger of such digital passports. Here is our new website: https://stopvaxpassports.org

We have produced a powerful **webinar** to educate the public about the dangers of such "Passports" as a gateway to mass surveillance and control. You can view the webinar HERE: https://stopvaxpassports.org/webinar-vaccine-passports-gateway-to-mass-surveillance/

Finally, we have an Open Letter to the President and Congressional leadership, urging them to issue an Executive Order and promote federal legislation banning the issuance or use of digital "Vaccine Passports" (by whatever name), not only by the federal government, but also by any state or local government, or by businesses, schools, or commercial enterprises. You can read the Open Letter and see the current list of signatories here: https://stopvaxpassports.org/petition-stop-vax-passports/

Since you are a key leader and influencer, we would be most honored if you would consider signing this open letter. While our open letter has been sent to President Biden, we are accepting additional signatures and will add them to the growing list of leaders and influencers taking a public stand against vaccine mandates and passports. Here is the form on which you can sign, either as an individual or organization: https://form.jotform.com/211996214155053

Thank you for your consideration of this request