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Lawyers Club of San Diego Issues Statement on Transgender Military Service Members

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At Lawyers Club, our mission is to advance the status of women in the law and society. In service of our mission, we support efforts to eliminate any form of discrimination that may lead to gender discrimination. We recognize the value of a diverse and inclusive military where service members are not discriminated against due to gender or gender identity. Recently, President Donald J. Trump commented via Twitter that transgender individuals would be banned from U.S. military service in any capacity. Lawyers Club is committed to the constitutional principle of equal protection under the law and denounces government action or rhetoric that is discriminatory or prejudicial. Marginalizing transgender individuals is an affront to Lawyers Club's values. Lawyers Club expresses unwavering support and gratitude to all transgender service members past and present.

About Lawyers Club of San Diego

Lawyers Club, founded in 1972 with the mission "to advance the status of women in the law and society," has more than 1,300 members comprised of female and male attorneys, judges, elected officials, business owners, law students and others in the San Diego community who share Lawyers Club's interests and goals. For more information about Lawyers Club, visit www.lawyersclubsandiego.com.

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