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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Please support broadband competition. I choose sonic.net because they provide better service, are more friendly, offer better rates. If you do not allow competitive providers, then the corporate providers will be able to raise rates at will with no competition. Also corporate providers are deceptive and entice consumers with low rates for a short time and then jack up their rates. By charging higher rates, they are able to advertise on TV and through mailers. In a nutshell, smaller independent providers are more interested in providing better service and faster internet speeds at lower prices.

Also sonic's telephone service is much less expensive.

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