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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,

I chose Sonic as my home internet service provider because they are a local small business, listen to their customers, don't impose bandwidth caps, and don't share my information. I use Sonic for both competitive DSL and phone service.

Competition is critical for service providers in order to keep pricing and speeds fair for consumers. The US is significantly behind other countries in overall bandwidth available and cost/bandwidth. I fear that any legislature that will reduce competition in this area will have a negative impact on US consumers and businesses, putting us further behind other countries.

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