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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 own a small manufacturing business in Northern California. We make a scientific instrument that measures air pollution. Previously, we had DSL internet through AT&T - but they were very unresponsive to our needs. Just trying to deal with any issues was a major nightmare. Fortunately, we were able to switch to fiber-optic internet with VoIP phone service. The new providers are MUCH more responsive. Their service is better, and our telecom costs are lower. We absolutely believe in the value of competition and diversity of suppliers. This improves ANY service relative to a scenario with only one or two dinosaurs. Improved communications and lower costs help us, in turn, serve our customers better.

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