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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 use Sonic, a competitor to the big internet providers. Sonic gives me excellent service, which far exceeds in quality the experience I have had with Comcast or Verizon. Additionally, Sonic is the only competitor in this area with poorer-quality Comcast. Customer service from Comcast is insultingly poor.

Sonic's pricing is also much much more reasonable than the big carriers and allows cost-effective access to the internet.

Broadband is critical to my business of property management and also to my several personal interests which include scientific and emergency-response endeavors.

Please keep real broadband competition going. Ever-increasing monopoly control of broadband is NOT in the interest of the ordinary citizen.

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