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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,

As a customer of a local telecom provider that provides services that AT&T does not, I am concerned about USTelecom petitioning the FCC to dismantle key components of the 1996 Telecommunications Act.

After waiting decades for AT&T to provide decent broadband connectivity to my area, SONIC announced two years ago that they will be bringing fiber-optic connectivity to our neighborhood. I immediately signed up for their service as have many of our neighbors. It is still the only high speed internet option for my neighborhood and looks to remain so for years to come.

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