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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 currently choose a competitive provider, Sonic. I switched from AT&T to Sonic because the AT&T service was so bad and have been very pleased with Sonic service.

I am opposed to less competition. Despite what is always promised, this ALWAYS leads to price hikes that increase the cost of internet and telephone services -- which, I feel, we already pay too much for as it. The free enterprise system works best with lots of competition. Please don't be swayed by the large companies' promises.

Broadband is vital to me, as I do lots of streaming and am sometimes on the internet all day long. Fast service is a must. We do not yet have fiber on our street, but Sonic is installing it in our neighborhood and we hope to have it soon. For now Sonic is forced to use the old AT&T copper lines, which really provide very poor service.

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