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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 am a customer of Sonic Internet. They provide me phone and internet over a POTS line. I get twice the bandwidth that I got with AT&T and would be materially affected if you grant the petition to eliminate their access and suppress broadband competition.

I urge you to deny the petition that would eliminate the Bridge 2 Broadband that you are considering.

Sonic is providing me with both internet and access to POTS that gives me save 911 access without relying on a system like Comcast that fails when there is a power failure.

During the last power failure, my neighbors were without phone service until the Comcast trucks came and put Honda generators up on the phone poles to power their network. What a joke. Had anyone needed emergency assistance before the generators were installed, they might have died. My phone kept working because POTS is a real network and VOIP is not.

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