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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 have been using a small competitive broadband provider (sonic.net) for my home internet and landline telephone (DSL) since 2003. They have been a reliable, honest and competitive provider in contrast to the big broadband companies who have continually increased prices to exorbitant rates. We do not need less competition in this arena. Please do not allow the big companies to cut off competition and raise prices further.

Thank you!

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