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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 love my Sonic.NET , my DSL provider. I started with them early since they were the only ones to offer a dial-up modem back-up for DSL, were technical enough to support me when I had problems, and offered a static IP address, something that's generally unavailable for fiber cable.

And I love my copper wire and that I can have plain old telephone service on the same wire as my DSL.

I would hate to see this all go because of a stupid bureaucratic decision, such as preventing second party competitors from using these wires. I sorely want to keep my DSL service and my telephone provider, Sonic.NET.

Please let me keep my copper wire with my competitive provider!

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