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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,

Access to quality broadband at competitive rates is critical to my community's success. Having observed AT&T's ability to infiltrate political decision making processes across the country, combined with their total disinterest in improving service and NOT hiking rates every couple years unless there is a competitor nearby, I'd say deregulation in this sector is a terrible idea.

Furthermore AT&T's whining about inability to compete with content providers seems strange considering their continual earnings reports showing profit.

From time to time the government needs to balance the needs to large and small businesses as well as consumers, but lately, regulations simply seem to be taking into account the hunger(not needs) of large businesses with little else in mind.

Thank you for your time.

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