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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 consumer who has in the past extremely poor service from my former Broadband and Phone provider AT&T. As a result, I went with an alternate provider, Sonic. Service has been excellent, delays and service outages non-existent, and cost very competitive.

As a senior citizen, broadband service and affordable telephone is critical, as my mobility has been compromised and the internet greatly improves my quality of life, allowing me to shop and communicate easily and effectively. Additionally, as a senior on Social Security, cost is especially important.

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