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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 believe in a competitive business environment that offers consumers choices in the marketplace and stimulates innovation among businesses. Since the FCC was deregulated, the FCC has failed consumers and failed business. Don't let a monopoly take place with ATT/US telecom and give them all the business. They will gouge customers, raise prices, offer less service, and provide less innovation because they won't have to compete! Hasn't the FCC capitulated enough already? There's a lot at stake here when it comes to broadband competition.

I chose a competitive provider because I believe in consumer choice and I think this strengthens the business environment. I hope the FCC sees the wisdom in that as well. Will you stand for something more than monopolies and large corporations owning everything? Probably not, but at least I wrote a letter on behalf of Sonic because they are what American innovation is about! And I love them.

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