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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 private consumer who wants CHOICE. Having a small local broadband provider is important. I do not want ATT and Comcast as my only choice, having a local internet provider that provides great service and good prices will not break anyone's back. Do not take away access to critical unbundled network elements, thank you!

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