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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,

When DSL Extreme and Sonic came along as direct competition to AT&T and other companies I was always choosing the smaller provider that had my interests in mind.

When I moved to my new apartment I was told I could only use AT&T. I called the FCC but they said they couldnt do anything. As soon as Sonic came online and was available in my area I switched and love it. I call them and the answer right away and pride themselves with solving the issue.

On a personal note. Are you not aware of the fact that the Internet must remain free for society to grow and find that we have more similarities than differences. The Internet is more than just a tool it is the Zeitgeist of the planet! And it needs protection now.

Thank you and I trust you will make the right choice.

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