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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 USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am the beneficiary of open competition. In my town of Occidental the major carriers would not provide high speed internet service - not enough ROI! Two smaller competitors teamed up to provide us fiber optic service! They could do this by buying capacity on the existing cooper lines. COMPETITION IS GOOD!

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