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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,

Exactly one high speed (over 8 Mbits/sec) internet service provider serves my home. Lack of competition ultimately stifles innovation and service, makes the US less productive and competitive than other countries and holds prices unusually high.

I run a business out of my home, and high speed internet is essential for my business.

I urge you to put into place policies that will foster healthy competition and choice for consumers.

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