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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 have been a subscriber to our local Sonoma County California ISP, Sonic, for the past 15 years. They provide outstanding service and their support to their customers is unrivaled. I live in a rural part of my county and while I receive offers from the "big guys", the bottom line is they don't provide service to those of us who live here.

While I don't have fiber connection yet, I know Sonic is working to provide that service to all their customers. In the meantime, my DSL service works well and as mentioned above, none of the large ISPs even service this area. It's critical that companies like Sonic are given a level playing field to compete and offer their service and not disadvantaged by preferential treatment give to the larger companies.

Thank you.

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