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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 using a company, SONIC.NET for my internet services and their services are superior in every way. my connection is fast, and their customer service is excellent. These are the kinds of companies I like to deal with.

I am STRONGLY against the move in this country toward the monopolization of corporate services which disable citizens the right to choose, which eliminates the benefits of competition that I believe is inherent to a healthy marketplace.

I have signed petitions, made donations, and made calls to my congress representatives to urge them to support net neutrality and to uphold anti-trust laws.

I already feel that many corporations in this country dictate to me, that I do not have the benefit to choose or the power to change their services except by dropping their service altogether.

We need MORE regulations, not less. The internet, particularly, is now used by all of us for hundreds of things (besides social media) and unless we are in the top 1% of the population, our income is going DOWN, not UP, as prices for food and utilities in particular soar. With competition encouraged instead of discouraged, it is better for this country's citizens.

Please keep the internet providers competitive.

Thank you.

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