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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,

We chose Sonic to be our Broadband provider for our DSL line, & internet provider several years ago, because they were a local company & we had read their story in our local Newspaper, SF Chronicle. We have been very happy with our internet service. Their monthly service rate is a fair price & less expensive than the larger providers. Whenever we have had a problem, with the equipment (which has been rare), we are able to call the local office & their response has been immediate to fix whatever problem that we told them about.

There are other competitive telephone services, which we also use. There should always be a choice for the consumer, & an opportunity to let the consumer choose, rather than have only one or two choices, & no competitive pricing available.

PLEASE CONTINUE ALLOWING SONIC TO PROVIDE INTERNET SERVICE TO OUR HOME.

Thank you, from a very satisfied customer,

Patrick & Norma Mulligan

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