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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 live in a rural community and broadband is very important so my children can complete their homework as well as for my home-based business.

More competition in this field is vital to maintaining the integrity of the internet. I chose a provider that was competitive and gives me the level of service necessary for my business and for my children.

I implore that bridge to broadband continues to exist and this can be done by utilizing small companies.

Thank you for your consideration.

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