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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,

For both my home and business, I choose local broadband internet providers because I believe in supporting local businesses, their rates are affordable and their service is always fast and helpful. I have been a client of AT&T, Comcast and Verizon before and their service is TERRIBLE.

I work at a nonprofit, and competition in our area is key to getting rates we can afford as an organization. Similarly, because I don't make a huge salary, keeping internet access low-cost is critical for my home and family as well.

I strongly oppose the USTelecom petition. Do not betray your middle and working class families and businesses by passing this petition.

Thank you.

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