

Roger Bonte
231 Carter Pl.
Brentwood CA 94513

Aug 30th 2018

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 am a consumer who supports broadband competition. It is not right that the larger companies want to create a smaller provider window, so they are the only ones to fit into this window. As you know, competition breeds a better product at a lower price point and none of us need an increase in the cost of internet and telephone services.

I currently have a fiber connection that is wonderful and used to have a lesser product. It is critical with our applications/software today that fast, reliable internet service is a key component. I choose to use a competitive provider (Sonic) for their great product and great service.

I want to thank you in advance for taking the time to read my email. Like you; in whatever I do, I want the best product, with the best service for the best price.

Roger Bonte