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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,

It is important to me to choose an independent, competitive provider. The service is vastly better from our local provider than any large national company (we have tried others in the past.) Please do not increase prices or restrict access for our local providers. The use of broadband is critical to our business.

We have fiber and want to continue to use it via our local provider.

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