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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,

Please do not take away access to unbundled network elements for internet service providers who are competing with larger companies such as AT&T and US Telecom. I currently use Sonic, and they make use of these elements to provide internet and old fashioned phone service to our location.

As a father of two small kids, our privacy is important to me. Connection to the internet is also important, as is cost.

I like the policies that my service provider has, and if you get rid of the ability for competition by giving in to the large company petitions, it will drive the excellent alternative companies out of business.

Please don't.

Thanks,

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