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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, along with my husband, utilize services that Sonic provides on a daily basis in our home. Please understand that your actions have consequences and affect the lives of residents. We use fiber for faster service and in order to connect with our relatives who are in other states. Also, as a writer, I largely work from home and need the internet to function at high speeds in order to access research materials with ease. Creating the space for monopolies to exist does not serve your public well. In fact, you then are at fault for allowing the public less choice and discernment in their lives with regards to the products and services they use, which sounds counter intuitive to me if you work for a free market and desire competition. I hope you read and honor the words of the public.

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