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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,

There needs to be more competition in the wired broadband market.

The 1996 Telecommunications Act allows for competition through use of unbundled copper and inter-city fiber transport elements (UNEs). I use one such competitor, Sonic. There needs to be more providers. Please read "Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks". Do not allow USTelecom's petition. Do not let USTelecom harm companies like Sonic or subscribers like me. Through Sonic I pay real prices for broadband and phone service. USTelecom member prices for the same service is unrealistically higher. Seems like USTelecom member service prices are artificially and cooperatively set higher.

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