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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 value my ability to make a choice of alternative internet and telephone providers when I do not want to pay the higher prices and be subject to financial conditions put upon me by the 2 or 3 major Cable Phone providers. The Comcast in our neighborhood sucks and has provided intermittent service to me and all my neighbors for the last 10-15 years, and they charge outrageous fees without providing better services.

Please do not limit my right to make a choice and allow me to have plenty of options available. I cannot afford to spend more, and I am sure that will happen when our choices become fewer. Broadband providers are crucial to those of us who are not interested in high tech higher rates less privacy.

Thank you,

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