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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 close down DSL service and phone service over the copper-wire network like Sonic.com via AT&T in California. We depend on this copper-wire service here. Competition is healthy for communities with lower income people to be able to access the Internet and competitive phone service.

Thank you.

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