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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 am currently a DSL customer of a local provider using copper wire and am dependent on this being available until I can get fiber connection, also from that local provider. I depend on that local provider for excellent service at reasonable prices and do not want to depend on AT&T or big cable to provide inferior service at higher prices.

Please keep open broadband competition available to me and many others in the SF Bay Area.

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