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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 an ardent supporter of broadband competition. I use a local provider for my phone and data. Recently my service was upgraded to fiber from DSL. My local provider is less expensive than AT&T and Comcast, and there are other small-scale providers in my area as well. Good for business!

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