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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,

Competition is the engine of the American economy. It drives innovation and provides lower prices for consumers. This is a long held value of we Republicans. I oppose the US Telecom petition. Since changing from Comcast to a small local provider, I am getting MUCH better consumer service (I'd repeatedly be on hold with Comcast for hours and then get a customer service person who knew nothing), and my telecom bill was cut in HALF.

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