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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 allow Sonic to continue to offer excellent COMPETITIVE internet connectivity. I specifically chose Sonic's internet service after many years of substandard service from ATT and ever-increasing rates.

I am a self-employed contractor (analyst for international healthcare organizations) and generally work from home, so my home internet service is critical to my business. Sonic's broadband fiber connection is SIGNIFICANTLY faster and more reliable than the old DSL line I was using with ATT.

Please do not allow the USTelecom petition to throttle the competition and re-establish a virtual monopoly on internet access. Consumers need choices! Sonic provides a valuable alternative to the expensive and throttled access of the old monopolies.

Regards,

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