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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,

As a Sonic CLEC customer, having also been an AT&T DSL customer, I would like to say that the ISP service I receive from Sonic is far better than the ISP service I received from AT&T. Given the mature community I live in, and very restrictive ordinances established by local government, it would be very expensive for my CLEC to install copper or fiber lines now.

I would urge the FCC to continue the 1996 Telecommunications Act provisions that allow CLECs like Sonic to continue to use the infrastructure established by the large carriers.

Sincerely,

Doug Ronald