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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 chose a local broadband provider after years of poor service from AT&T. In my area, there is almost no other competition. The only reason I can afford fiber to run my home business is because of this choice. Please oppose any move or petition to make life harder for these small businesses, and ours. Thanks.

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