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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 and choice is critical in the internet provider space.

Aside from basic utilities, internet service is our most critical.

I have long been a user of internet providers outside the typical phone/cable provides and have consistently found them to be local and market leaders in terms of quality and service.

Competition in this marketplace is essential. People and companies need to have a choice in order to ensure all of our service levels are successful, regardless of what carrier is selected.

Sonic in particular is an excellent provider and we are lucky to have them.

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