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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'm a broadband consumer. I chose Sonic, a smaller regional ISP, because Comcast consistently threw their weight around trying to bully me into spending ridiculous amounts of money on their service every month. If there were no competitive alternatives I would still be stuck with service run by a mega corporation that didn't care about their customers in the least.

It matters to me that smaller players have a chance to compete in the marketplace. I value Sonic's commitment to customer privacy and net neutrality, and it matters to me that they stay in business and other smaller companies have future opportunities to compete with them, as well as with AT&T, Comcast, and the other major players. Please uphold the competitive marketplace.

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