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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 be aware that I'm opposing USTelecom petition. Reducing competition does nothing good for consumers. It will lead to price hikes, degradation of service, lack of development of infrastructure, etc.

Broadband is critical these days hence we need to develop it more and not less.

I hope you will take my opinion into consideration.

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