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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 connect to my ISP's voice and data service via AT&T copper wire. The quality of the copper line has been poor the past few years. Noise on the line goes up substantially during rainy weather, occasionally becoming intolerable.

My understanding is that AT&T is attempting in this docket to be relieved of the responsibility of maintaining its copper network. That would result in the quality of my service becoming unusable. Worse yet, lifting the regulations that now constrain AT&T would put my very innovative ISP out of business.

In the interests of maintaining existing broadband services and promoting competition, I implore the Commission to reject the proposed deregulation.

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