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Short comment

Having Telstra receive all this extra funding and responsibility is not fair for regional, rural and remote communities doing it tough during a cost-of-living crisis. Telstra has proven time and time again that they are incompetent at ensuring people remain connected when needed, and they charge an arm and a leg for connected services. It's time the USO responsibilities for Telstra were dropped, and other carriers, such as Singtel's Optus and TPG Telecom's Vodafone, were more supported by the government. It's time to drop the archaic USO regulations and start encouraging competition, instead of encouraging a monopoly!

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