

SUBMISSION TO IPART REVIEW
SOLAR FEED-IN TARIFFS 2017/18

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Dear IPART,

I strongly support your proposal that rooftop solar owners receive a doubling of their feed-in-tariff and that this tariff be made mandatory.

As you know distributed solar generation greatly lessens the need for hugely expensive upgrades to the poles and wires infrastructure. Also, being distributed and located where it is used, rooftop solar doesn't have the massive losses incurred by long distance transmission cables.

Another compelling reason that the IPART should double the tariff is that rooftop solar's generation profile closely matches the power drain caused by air conditioners and thus it increases the efficiency and productivity of the electricity grid as a whole.

Climate change is coming and NSW needs the obvious benefits that rooftop solar has over the old inefficient technologies of expensive, polluting centralised fossil fuel generation.

Yours faithfully,

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