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I believe it is now time for both State & Federal intervention in the feed in tariff racket. Home producers of solar energy in excess of their own requirements are not being paid a fair rate for the power they feed back into the grid. It is clear that both State & Federal Govts have either ignored the situation and/or spent time playing politics with the situation. Both are reprehensible and need immediate attention. Like it or not the home electricity producer plays a significant role in the overall picture.

a) legislate to oblige energy providers to pay a fair & reasonable feed in tariff.

- b) As a matter of urgency install battery back up storage. There is a wealth of good information available. Most of it has been available for some time.
- c) The power providers are against this as their livelehoods are at stake! The situation cannot be left such that they can hold the country to ransom.
- d) No more sell offs as this sets the scenario for greed to replace the common sense necessary to solve the problem.
- e) Buy back the farm and once again treat power as a utility.

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