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

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Dear IPART,

While the 60c Feed-in-tariff was an overly generous and unmissable incentive to go solar the current low price offered to domestic rooftop PV generators serves to underline that the market structure of the electricity system serves only the incumbents. Customers with PV do want reliability and are not exposed to the market like retailers but nonetheless we should not be treated with the disdain inherent in the current feed-in tariff. An acknowledgement of the value of solar PV demonstrated by a fair minimum payment by all retailers and aligned to the wholesale price of electricity would go some way to settling the ponies which are disturbed by the current pitifully low price.

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