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SOLAR FEED-IN TARIFFS 2017/18

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I am writing to support IPART's proposal to raise and regulate the feed-in tariff for power generated from renewable energy sources, especially rooftop solar. Specifically,

- 1. I support a fair price for solar power that would increase in line with the wholesale price of electricity, both in the long term and by adjusting over short periods in response to high demand.
- 2. The feed-in tariff should not just be a benchmark range, it should be regulated so retailers are required to offer it as a minimum;
- 3. The feed-in tariff should represent the true value of solar, reflecting the environmental and health benefits as well as the network benefits of rooftop solar (since its generation is widely distributed, easing the costs of wires and reducing power losses in transmission).

This is not only fair but also will provide further stimulus to speed the transition to renewable power sources - and a clean energy future.

Thank you for acting on this! Frank Briggs Queanbeyan, NSW 2620

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