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Submission: "I would like to make a submission that IPART should not consider cutting the NSW solar feed-in tariff (FiT). Even though we do not have solar on our residence I still support a fair price for people who have installed solar and are helping the environment. I would like to say that:

It's not fair to punish solar owners who are helping bring down the price of electricity for all NSW energy users;

Last year more than half of the retailers in NSW failed to offer a FiT within the benchmark range. The FiT needs to be regulated and mandated so that the retailers have to offer it as a minimum;

The FiT should represent the true value of solar, this means recognising the environmental and health benefits and the network benefits of rooftop solar.

It is ridiculous that the NSW government is not doing everything possible to support solar and a clean energy future."