## SUBMISSION TO IPART REVIEW

SOLAR FEED-IN TARIFFS 2017/18

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To IPART Members,

Please note that we:

Support a fair price for solar;

Request that the feed-in tariff should increase in line with the wholesale price of electricity;

Request that the feed-in tariff should not just be a benchmark range, it should be regulated so retailers have to offer it as a minimum;

Assert that the feed-in tariff should represent the true value of solar, this means recognising the environmental and health benefits and the network benefits of rooftop solar;

Advise that our personal experience with adding Solar Panels to our current house, and former house, in Newcastle - commencing in about 2007 /8 has been assisted by knowing a good Feed in Tariff would help pay for the System, AND IT DID!

We now generate more power than we use, so are a net exporter to the grid. An upward adjustment of the FiT to 14c + would assist us in buying batteries, thus taking a load off the grid in peak times.

Please act to provide us with Justice

**John & Rosie Hayes** 

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