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**SOLAR FEED-IN TARIFFS 2017/18**

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Good morning members of IPART,

I write to you to inform you that I strongly support a fair price for solar. It is also common sense that the feed-in tariff be increase in line with the wholesale price of electricity.

The feed-in tariff needs to be more than just a benchmark range, it needs to be regulated so retailers have to offer it as a minimum.

It is imperative that the feed-in tariff represent the true value of solar, this means recognising the overall environmental and health benefits and the network benefits of rooftop solar.

Many I have talked to about going solar have baulked due to the uncertainty and low level of fee in tariffs, an unnecessary barrier given the unfair competition with other sources of electricity.

Sincerely,  
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