Minimum feed-in tariff review 2021-22

Submission received through email

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On 17 November 2020, we published our draft decision paper for the Minimum feed-in tariff review 2021-22. This draft decision paper asks stakeholders for their views on the commission's draft minimum feed-in tariff rates that would apply from 1 July 2021 and proposed customer notification for feed-in tariff changes.

Email submission

Subject: Minimum feed-in tariff review 2021-22/ Concern over the Essential Services

Commission interfering with the Tariff Rates and forcing solar panel users to pay excessive power bills

Dear Manager,

Why has the Essential Services Commission been interfering with the support of the Power Companies to increase Excessive Electricity Costs for all house holders and families? We as a family purchased solar panels to reduce electricity costs, however the interferences with this Commission through the Draft Decision and the Daniel Andrews Labor State Government is working to force higher prices. In our email to LUMO and to you earlier we are still expecting to be recognized on 12 KWH, not any figure lower. As we agreed with Energy Australia, we are still on 12 KWH not 9.40 KWH as received on 21 November 2020.

I would like a hard copy of this draft report from The Essential Services Commission to be sent to my home address in full. I will be responding to this draft submission. [Redacted confidential information].

I need to read the complete report in full, not part or sections may be missing from this Report. That wouldn't be democratic or Accountable would it?

I can understand why the Essential Services Commission and The State Government has acted at this time, considering the Victorian Public cannot attend any vital meetings to discuss the issues at the specific offices. All important decisions concerning the Victorian Public Power and Electricity Bills were held behind closed doors to shut us out and avoid public scrutiny from us and perhaps the local and The National Media as The Herald Sun etc. I for one strongly request a meeting with the management to discuss this matter before any payments are made to our energy providers.

The Covid-19 Pandemic has disallowed us from holding these meetings to discuss these vital issues, now is the time to do so pronto!

[Redacted confidential information]

Regards

[Redacted confidential information]

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Are all Victorian House Holders expected to receive and pay higher electricity costs following this ESC Decision and the COVID-19 Pandemic? Please explain!

Why are the decisions of The Essential Services Commission concerning Power and Electricity Bills kept quiet from us Public Members/House Holders until the last minute? Please Explain! Perhaps the Essential Services Commission and other State Government Agencies should be decommissioned and shut down as they are not working for the Victorian People/House Holders. This should be an election promise by The Liberal Party.