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**I want a fair go for solar**

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To the Essential Services Commission - Inquiry into the true value of Distributed Generation to Victorian Consumers

We try and do the right thing and go to partial solar power to help ease the power burden on the State and at every turn we get penalised for doing it!

Not only did our regular electricity rate increase when we installed solar but the price for the feed in tariff has dropped twice. The price we pay per kW hour in relation to the price we receive is just laughable - and now we are going to get hit again!

Stop the power companies being greedy. All we want is a fair price.

We invested this money in solar to do the right thing by the environment but obviously that does not mean a damn to anyone else!

I strongly urge the ESC to immediately recommend to the Andrews Labor Government to set a fair price for solar at 1:1, before further cuts to the feed-in tariff take effect at the end of 2016.