SUBMISSION Solar Retailer Feed-in-Tariff Price Draft Determination

I don't know the Real & Technical details of the solar feed in tariff; however I think that the prices touted on your website are a little low.

The difficulty I have is appreciating what will actually have in the future. I will address it in bullet points.

- (1) Why do retailers fund the feed in tariff by levying non participants; doesn't that really penalize people who can't afford to invest in solar?
- (2) When an address generates electricity, it is most likely to be directed to a nearby consumer and thus has minimal "friction" loss, ie: avery high % of power is actually sold and not lost.
- (3) With smart meters the consumer is charged at varying rates, dependent on at what time it is used, and measured and recorded (and of course charged out) prior to any inputs taking place, however feed in electricity is produced at peak usage times but doesn't generally get anything like the peak usage price.
- (4) As electricity prices go up over a number of years the consumer will get a bill yet they are generating possibly double the amount of electricity that they consume. This is due to increases in electricity prices for power consumed and reductions in tariffs. I am not good at computer operating but draw a graph of say 10 years of likely power price increases and overlay it with the decrease in feed in tariffs for the same period it could be a large disappointment for an investment of many \$1000's of dollars and dedication to assisting in atmosphere pollution.
- (5) Like most commodities there seems to be a profusion of people and organizations that take great delight (with govt. blessings) to parasitize anything they can. Do little, don't contribute to the betterment of the nation but take huge chunks in inflated salaries and perks & don't give a dam about struggling families.

Please give my laypersons considerations some serious thoughts. I have been encouraged by many of my friends and neighbors to do this submission.

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I would appreciate acknowledgement of this submission please.