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Submission: Just received my notification from DODO regarding changes to prices to take effect 26 May 2017. The following is noted 1) SUPPLY CHARGE - This has increased by 13.12%. Considering that the infrastructure is already in place, the very notion that just having wires connected to your home irrespective of whether they are used or not (sufficient solar + Battery storage) should be charged is ridiculous but to say that these connected wires have increased in cost by 13.12% is blatant fraud!! 2) Standard usage charges have increased by 14.65%. Again this massive increase is hurting families and unjustified. 3) Controlled Load 1 or off peak rates have increased by a massive 47%. Absolutely highway robbery!!! These energy suppliers are financially raping the people of this state and our entire economy which will put the brakes on GDP growth leading to more hardship. Your suggestion of a minimum 11.6 cent per kwh feed in tariff of a low base is poor compensation against the increases of high bases. The new standard usage charge is now 29.45 cent per Kwh and 13.80 cents per Kwh controlled load. This along with the ridiculous supply charge makes the 11.6 cents per kwh feed in tariff look like the energy companies are running the show. The minimum to be serious if this stupid supply charge remains should be at least 18 cents per kwh. More needs to be done to encourage renewable energy growth. It is obvious that the combination of usage and supply charges have not been looked at together when looking at the feed in tariff rates. The energy companys are jacking up supply charges to compensate for the higher feed in tariffs on the usage side. 18 cents should be the minimum. Families are hurting and the sick with no carrot approach will led to a major brake on our economy. I urge you to do what is right and compensate those with renewable energy with a fair return on a very high investment. Look forward to you do what is right by putting NSW first. Thank you