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I fully support a fair price for solar, with the feed in tariff being increased in line with wholesale prices. Solar generating families should be encouraged, not discouraged.

By keeping the tariffs as they are, the industry is driving solar generators to more rapidly take up battery storage: if there is no fair treatment of selling back unused solar to the grid, and the electricity prices are out of reach, then solar generators will turn to funding their own battery walls instead. The industry is triggering their own attrition through the unfair pricing of solar.

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