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To Whom it may concern,

In the interest of fairness the FiT should move inline with the trend in wholesale prices , in all honesty I think the target we should try and reach is parity but a fair step would be double the current offer. This should be offered as a minimum. Home owners are and have invested a lot of hard earned dollars in an attempt to control and mitigate ever increasing energy bills , anything less than double the current offer is truly a kick in the guts.

If I use my personal case , my wife and I both have to work and I'd love to store some of my exported energy produced by my rooftop solar but the costs of storage are too expensive , I have looked into other diverter type devices to use excess energy but I have no Off-peak loads to service with that excess energy. I ask you to recognise the value of this excess energy and what all roof top solar homeowners offer as a collective , the value for excess exported energy at 12c/watt for example for cleanly produced energy is an absolute bargain. Please , be fair.

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