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To whom this may concern.

I understand that this email will probably not get any further than the administration staff who manage this email address. However, as a concerned citizen of this Country, I felt I needed to voice my thoughts.

So to the admin worker who receives this, I am sorry.

Also, I would honestly love for someone to respond to me. Some answers would be greatly appreciated, or just something to say "Sorry you feel this way, but we're going to completely ignore you [Australian citizens] and continue to screw up the country. Thanks, bye."

What on Earth are you guys thinking? Proposing a "tax" for owners of rooftop solar, for the privilege of supplying energy to the grid? For the honour of working for these disgusting major corporations? I honestly cannot believe how backwards the management of this country is.

What possible benefit could this bring about?

Seriously. I want to know. Because this seems to be the trend... Impose a tax on the hard working people of Australia, to fund the nepotism and blatant political corruption of this country's "democratic government" and the multi-billion dollar corporations that run it.

All I see from any "tax" on rooftop solar, is another example of a government too weak and incapable to actually fix the issues at hand, and would rather put a bandaid solution over everything, until the whole thing falls apart.

I read in the proposal that one of the concerns is the "Limitations of networks built for one-way flow"... The solution you ask?

PROPERLY TAX THE CORPORATIONS AND USE THAT MONEY TO FUND AN UPGRADE TO THE ARCHAIC AND OUTDATED ARCHITECTURE THAT IS THE AUSTRALIAN POWER INFRASTRUCTURE...

Or maybe just stop incentivising the destruction of our natural land (fossil fuels) and invest in renewables yourselves... Which will actually create loads of new jobs, bring the price of electricity

down, for ALL AUSTRALIANS, and improve the quality of air in the country... Because I don't know about you, but I kinda hate the smog in the city. I like the ability to breath.

Don't believe me? Just ask LITERALLY EVERY OTHER DEVELOPED NATION!!!

But oh wait. That would mean the people who own you [the government] (them being fossil fuels corporations), would lose money... And we can't have anymore billionaires losing money... While teenagers are homeless and families are going without food, because both parents are unable to find work, due to the incompetence of their leadership.

I am ashamed and appalled at the horrid people who run this country. We could've been the front runners of a multi-trillion dollar renewables industry... Instead we're clinging so damn hard to fossil fuels, and becoming the laughing stock of the entire world... If no one took us seriously before, they definitely don't now.

The people of this country want renewables... So why make it less appealing to get rooftop solar? Why charge, or even consider charging people for the privilege of providing power to the grid that you own!? We paid for the solar with our own hard earned cash, and please don't go on about the "incentives" and "rebates" because that means, at most, you own 20% of our solar system... Which I don't believe was a part of the deal anyway. So you actually own 0% of our solar systems.

So in closing. Don't be so stingy and charge US, THE AVERAGE CITIZEN, to feed power into your power grid. At the very least, bring down the feed in tariff. I don't care. More renewables powering the country, the better. BUT IT IS NOT FAIR FOR ME TO PAY ANYTHING FOR THE ADDITIONAL POWER THAT MY SYSTEM GENERATES, WHICH I THEN SELL BACK TO YOU[the government/the corporations that own the government], WHILE YOU GIVE MULTI-BILLION COMPANIES MASSIVE SUMS OF CASH TO DO NOTHING BUT DESTROY THE COUNTRY, AND NOT CREATE JOBS

It is so so backwards and it legitimately makes me sad to know that we are being left behind, and millions of people will eventually suffer because of your inaction.

If you did read all that. Thank you, and I appreciate your time. Please do something about it, because this is the most that I can do... Because I have ZERO SAY IN ANY OF THESE MATTERS.

Thank you for your time.

Best Regards,

Josh Dunn

A concerned citizen of Victoria, Australia and a proud owner of Rooftop solar.

I would seriously love to get an explanation of what you hope to achieve with these proposed changes, or just get your thoughts on the points I raised.

Please reply, or call me on:

