

The below submission has been lodged and confirmed on the AEMC Web site.

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Comments: Allowing companies to charge for the production of consumer side power is backwards and will disincentivise consumers from adopting solar. Having worked in the solar industry power bills are already incredibly confusing for consumers and allowing this rule change will further muddle the waters. Furthermore, the optics of this rule change will only concrete in consumers minds that the regulatory operates for industry and is working to pass the cost on to the everyday Australians rather than forcing industry to pay its dues for system that it greatly profits off. I would strongly advise against making this change.