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To Whom it may concern

As an accredited installer of PV I have become very disillusioned with the direction, or the lack there of, that the government has taken in supporting our industry.

The on again off again nature of the rebate programs that the government has provided in recent years has lead to not much more than public confusion and industry chaos.

How on this good earth is anyone expected to grow a business that will help save the planet and the economy with the constant uncertainty that we seem to be faced with from government progams. We need firm long term national committment on rebates and feed in tariffs in order to create good economic growth and good environmental outcomes not buck passing and time delays because time as they say is of the essence.

Had the rebate system been set up on a long term basis in what ever form. I for one would have invested alot more money and time into growing my business, employing people and setting long term goals, however, as it stands I have neither the confidence nor the money to waste on such uncertain prospects untill the government gets it's act together.

Regards

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