

# ELECTRICITY CHARGES.

Over the last ten years power has moved from 9c/kwh in 2009 to 33c/kwh in 2016. I have just received my new contract power has now moved to 37c a KWH an increase of 311% in eight years. And Supply Feed up 7 cents per day. It has just been announced an 18% increase in our power prices this year. NOT ONE Politician State or Federal has come out and denounced this. They expect you to pay with more hikes to come.

Since they have sold off our power to foreign interest and deregulated the market we have all suffered we have become poorer.

**The private enterprise plan has failed.** We now require real action.

They will tell you it's a completed issue. It was not complicated when they sold it. It only became completed because politicians became involved.

It is a government's job to ensure basic utilities are run to secure its people e.g. police, fire, hospitals, schools etc.

## **In the area of power it has failed.**

We want our government to bring power control back to Australia.

This means investing in each state to build infrastructure to secure the country's power needs.

A public enquiry is required to look into cost of power. How do they arrive at a figure per KWH what is it made up of?

Supply Charge. All I ever see is this going up it is now 91c per day. I have lived at the same residence since 1994 in that time I have

seen no upgrades (gold plating as it has been called) no maintenance checks to ensure supply is within KPI, s set.

Feed In Tariff. In the eyes of SA Power Networks we are generating electricity as per there document therefore why do we not receive the wholesale price the same as electricity providers receive? Why are we offered a lower rate?

Why do we have such a complicated structure with so many fingers in the pie this has surely increased the overall cost of doing business. Why is there not in place a flat structure?

Yours Sincerelly

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