

## Victorian Government Solar Rebate

There has been misinformation spread by some solar marketing companies about this new incentive so we thought we would advise the current situation.

The rebate is currently set at a maximum \$2,225.00 to customers who meet certain criteria and application to receive it is made once the system is installed and has been inspected.

From the Solar Victoria website ( [www.solar.vic.gov.au](http://www.solar.vic.gov.au) ), these are the required criteria;

*Victorian households are eligible to receive a Solar Panel Rebate if the applicant:*

- i. has a combined household income of less than \$180,000 per annum before tax*
- ii. is an owner-occupier of a home valued at under \$3,000,000.00*
- iii. does not already have a solar panel system installed on their property,*
- iv. chooses a Clean Energy Council (CEC) Approved Product and uses a CEC Accredited Installer,*
- v. has had an eligible solar panel system installed on or after 19 August 2018, and engages an installer who can provide a statement that they have had no significant contravention history, or prosecutions registered with WorkSafe Victoria in the past three years.*
- i. is an early adopter of Solar PV looking to replace or expand their system.\**

*\*Early adopters of solar PV, who meet all other eligibility criteria, are able to claim a rebate for a new or expanded system. An early adopter is defined as a solar system that was installed prior to the commencement of the Premium Feed-In Tariff (PFIT) on November 1, 2009. Your Distribution Network Service Provider can confirm that the date on which your solar PV system was connected to the grid was prior to the start of the PFIT. Other than for early adopters, the solar rebate cannot be used to expand an existing solar panel installation.*

The paperwork required is what is already submitted to your electricity retailer when the meter configuration is requested and Glen Clark & Co have never had a Worksafe infringement since operations commenced.

It is our intention to provide every assistance to our clients in regard to this rebate

Yours sincerely



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