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From: Brian Schultz on behalf of Records Clerk **Sent:** Monday, September 21, 2020 12:47 PM

To: 'dclester@yahoo.com'
Cc: Consumer Contact

Subject: RE: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Good Afternoon, Dean Lester

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200000-OT and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

Brian Schultz
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From: dclester@everyactioncustom.com <dclester@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Saturday, September 19, 2020 4:44 PM To: Records Clerk < CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Florida Public Service Commission,

I'm not going to paste in a bunch of pre-prepared statements from our solar advocacy organization, I'm writing my own here.

You know why I'm writing, I'm in support of solar and net metering.

Keep the clean energy jobs rolling.

Don't allow the big investor-owned utilities give you a snow-job during this pandemic, now is not the time.

Rooftop solar is contributing to the resiliency of our power grid, and helping us be more energy independent. We need as much renewables contributing to climate improvement as we can get right now.

Also, it doesn't make sense to repeal net metering in order for the investor-owned utilities to buy the excess power that I generate at wholesale rate, only to sell it to my neighbor at retail rate. I don't want the profit, I don't want a payout for excess, I just want to net out what I use at my home.

Public Service Commission, please represent the people, not the investor-owned utilities!

thank you!

Sincerely, Dean Lester 9927 Kona Isle Ct Orlando, FL 32817-5206