

I am an enthusiastic owner of solar panels on the roof of my home. I did this because I believe that solar power is a useful way to generate electricity and have found this to be the case despite the UK weather over the past year. Since installation in March 2023 I have produced 7600 Kw/h. If every home could do this there would be no need for large solar 'farm' sites. I live close to the proposed solar 'farm' (it is not a farm but an electricity generating station.) and object to prime farm land being given over to industrial use in contradiction of the Governments policy to utilise brown field sites. I believe that rooftop solar is the most expedient way forward for us to utilise solar panels and feel strongly that the building regulations should be changed to make this compulsory where appropriate. This will also help to reduce electricity bills for home owners and businesses alike, helping to 'level up' the energy market away from corporate domination. I attach a copy of a letter from my local MP on this subject