

Dear Premier,

The time to act on out-of-control power prices has come.

The people of NSW demand some relief from the rising cost of electricity and they are looking to you for help.

They are fed-up with being told to conserve power - they already do and continue to pay more for their trouble. They are fed-up with pathetic excuses and false claims the State Government does not have the authority to affect power prices.

Electricity is an essential service, not a luxury and the sacrifices people are making just to survive are unacceptable in a modern society.

Householders are not to blame for price rises, governments are and voters want you to fix it.

Today, Daily Telegraph readers challenge your government to find a solution and deliver genuine savings on household power bills.

Today we start the Power Countdown at Day One and it will continue to tick over each day that you fail to take this issue seriously and find a solution.

Since we began our Power Struggle campaign, the Daily Telegraph has captured more than 15,000 signatures on a petition and tens of thousands more voters have written to us, emailed us, phoned us and sent us TXT messages begging for help.

This is one of the most important issues facing the electorate and we will be relentless in our demands that you help NSW voters - until you face the ballot box 169 days from now.

Your time starts now

