

## PIENAAR ENERGY (PTY) LTD

# Neighbor s photovoltaic panel blocking light complaints



## Overview

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What happens if your neighbor plants a tree or builds a structure that blocks light from getting to your solar panel?

Shading from neighboring trees represents one of the most challenging solar access disputes. Most states have laws that provide measures to address. Solar panel conflicts typically involve disputes between homeowners, neighbors, and HOAs over aesthetics, shading, and installation restrictions in residential communities. Most states provide legal protections for solar installations while allowing reasonable restrictions, and conflicts can be. Before you object to a neighbor's solar panels, understand the balance between individual property rights and broader renewable energy regulations. Are there any glare reducing treatments that do not adversely reduce output?

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### Solar Panel Neighbor Complaints!

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Solar panels have a glass surface that can create glare and reflect light toward your neighbor's home at certain times, depending on the angle of the panels and the sun.



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### Neighbor experiencing glare, wants me to remove panels or he will ...

A dearth of case law exists in California as to allowable levels of heat, light, glare and inconvenience that may be directed by PV panels to a neighbor's property.

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## What are my options for

## having my neighbor remediate their extreme

My neighbors installed solar panels last year and they produce extreme glare on my property. I live in a ranch style house and starting around 4 PM, lasting anywhere from 1 to 4 hours, ...



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## Avoiding and solving neighbor disputes over solar panels

A tree that sends shade over your solar panels, a solar array that sends glare over a neighbor's home, the disputes over solar panels are a constant as more and more homeowners ...

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## Prevent Neighbors From Blocking Your Solar Panels: Get Solar

Solar panels require direct access to sunlight to generate energy -- but what can you do to prevent the possibility that your neighbor will add a second story or plant a large tree?



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## What to do when your neighbors are throwing shade on your solar array



If an adjacent neighbor's construction increases shading on your solar energy system by five percent or more, then the neighbor must get your permission before obtaining a building permit. ...

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## Solving Solar Panel Glare: Neighbor Dispute Q& A

Document your neighbors' complaints and any correspondence related to the glare issue. 2. Stay in Communication with Sunrun. Continue to engage with Sunrun and express your concerns. If they've ...

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## Can I Object to My Neighbor's Solar Panels?

A neighbor's ability to object to an installation depends on a complex interplay of local government regulations, private agreements, and state laws that determine if an objection has a ...

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## Solar Panel Dispute Laws: Your Rights and Solutions

Navigate solar panel disputes with HOAs

and neighbors. FindLaw explains your legal rights, state laws, and solutions for resolving conflicts.

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