

Are prosecutors investigating solar industry fraud?

Prosecutors are actively investigating solar industry fraud-- here's what you need to know before installing panels first appeared on The Cool Down. "We want to make sure that there are no exploitative or unfair sales practices happening in our industry."

Does rooftop solar have a fraud problem?

Rooftop solar has a fraud problem. The industry is working to build back trust A crew installs a solar array on the roof of a home in Frankfort,Ky.,in 2023. PHILADELPHIA -- The solar power industry is booming and that growth helps the world meet its climate goals by replacing fossil fuels.

Why are prosecutors investigating rooftop solar?

Across the country,prosecutors are investigating high-pressure sales tactics and misleading financing arrangements. Some customers say they were victims of fraud and forgery. This threatens rooftop solar's impressive momentum. Now,some solar companies are working to repair the industry's reputation.

Are solar companies repairing the solar industry's reputation?

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As renewable energy adoption hits record highs (42% growth since 2022 according to the 2024 Solar Energy Industry Report), photovoltaic panel scams have increased by 67% year-over ...

At present, the company has four core industrial chains, including a full range of photovoltaic inverters, energy storage battery packs, dehumidifiers, environmental appliances and heat exchangers. It is a ...

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The valuable materials and equipment found on a solar project site make them prime target for criminal activity.

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The rooftop solar business is a big source of consumer complaints. Across the country, prosecutors are investigating sales practices and financing arrangements. Now the solar industry is ...

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