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THE response for solar photovoltaic (PV) systems has been overwhelming in the past few years.

The Energy Commission, together with Sustainable Energy Development Authority under the prerogative of the Ministry of Energy, Green Technology and Water (KeTTHA), announced the launch of the net energy metering (NEM) programme for solar PV systems on Nov 1.

Under this programme, the solar system installation is primarily for one's own consumption, with the excess sold to Tenaga Nasional Berhad at its displacement cost.

Apart from playing a part to save the environment, the programme results in the reduction of electricity cost over the long run.

On top of that, there are numerous tax benefits such as the capital allowance and investment tax allowance that can be applied. With these fiscal incentives, the return on investment of solar PV systems can be optimised in a shorter time.

Icon Energy Solutions Sdn Bhd has been actively providing one-stop services for all solar PV system solutions in the market.

Icon was founded in 2012 and has since undertaken numerous solar projects in the residential, commercial and industrial markets.

It has succeeded in becoming the main



Icon Energy Solutions' directors Jon Wong (left) and Bernard Wong.

engineering, procurement, construction and commissioning (EPCC) company for the largest building-integrated PV system in Malaysia and successfully completed large-scale solar projects for both commercial and industrial markets.

The company is well versed in creative solar PV applications such as ground solar farms, rooftop-integrated retrofit, double-glass solar PV panels application, building-integrated PV design and reinforced concrete roof installations.

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