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Mr Chris Beattie
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Dear Chris

Re: SOUTH AUSTRALIAN SES SUPPORT FOR NEW SOUTH WALES

The storms and floods that affected the Hunter and surrounding areas in April of this year resulted in the largest operational response in the 60 year history of the New South Wales State Emergency Service, with 21,506 requests for emergency help.

To assist our efforts in responding to the devastation caused by the storms and floods, South Australia provided invaluable support in the form of 60 personnel from the South Australian SES.

I sincerely thank each and every one of those South Australian personnel who travelled to New South Wales and who gave so generously of their time and skills to help the New South Wales community in their time of need.

The contribution of these personnel was greatly appreciated by our members and the community and highlighted the strong bonds between the emergency services nationally and our commitment to help each other.

I would be grateful if you could pass on my thanks to those personnel who helped.

Yours sincerely



Adam Dent
Commissioner