A statement from Steph Cooke, Minister for Emergency Services and Resilience and Minister for Flood Recovery:

"The destruction is widespread, devastating and heartbreaking. I know we are right at the start of the recovery process, but I want to assure the community that the NSW Government will be here for you every step of the way.

The Premier has announced a review into the flood emergency.

I welcome the review into this devastating flooding event and want to assure the community it will be carried out as quickly as possible."