



A live powerline lying across a two-car motor vehicle accident with an entrapment proved only a minor challenge for a team of Toowoomba firefighters and a paramedic at the State Road Accident Rescue (RAR) Challenge in Brisbane.

Held at the RNA Showgrounds, nine teams, including one from Malaysia,

competed in the challenge, which tested the critical life-saving rescue techniques used by emergency crews at serious motor vehicle accidents.

Toowoomba and Cairns (overall runner-up) will now represent Queensland at the 2006 Australasian Road Accident Rescue Challenge in Adelaide from July 20-23.

