The Northern Territory’s ethnic population has shared its views and concerns about crime prevention and community safety, documented in a report released today.

The Minister for Ethnic Affairs, Kon Vatskalis, congratulated the Multicultural Council of the Northern Territory on its report titled "A Safe Place in the Sun".

"The Government wants to build a safer Territory, and we want all in the community to have a say on how we achieve that," Mr Vatskalis said.

"This important report documents how our non-English speaking Territorians feel about safety and community issues.

"Ten ethnic groups were targeted in the Greater Darwin area, including the Cambodian, Indonesian, Serbian, German and Greek.

"Safety and security in our community are issues for everyone, and this Government wants to ensure everyone has the chance to share their views.

"The majority of respondents to this report said creating a safer community was a responsibility for everyone, and they wanted their views to be heard.

"Importantly, projects such as this facilitate further discussions with our ethnic population on a range of other issues."

Mr Vatskalis said the report was developed through a $12,000 grant from the Office of Crime Prevention.

The valuable data collated by the Multicultural Council of the Northern Territory will be used in the development of the Martin Government’s Crime Prevention Paper later this year.