The issue of consulting with Territorians prior to making Government policy will be addressed at a lunch today by Minister for Business, Industry and Resource Development Paul Henderson.

Mr Henderson will address 120 people from the public and private sector at the Institute of Public Administration hosted lunch at the Waterhole Restaurant from noon today.

"The Northern Territory Government has promised Territorians an open, inclusive and more accountable Government," Mr Henderson said.

"And we will aim to develop policies within a framework which will give all sections of the community the opportunity to have an input."

Mr Henderson said contestable policy advice was about enabling diverging views to be heard and taken into account in order to make policy more articulated.

"Contestable policy has many features, including a process of formulation which is based on evidence and enables different views to be heard and taken into account.

"The Government has committed to open and transparent policy development.

"Implementation so that all those who deal with the Government, including those affected by the impact of its policy, are able to understand how the issues of concern to them will be dealt with."