Stakeholders involved in the Northern Territory’s horticulture industry have attended a trade day at Berrimah Farm this afternoon.

Officially opening the event, Primary Industry and Fisheries Minister, Kon Vatskalis, said the trade day gave industry stakeholders a clear understanding of what is available to them to help them do business.

“Today’s trade day offered industry players a chance to familiarise themselves with what is available through the Department of Business, Industry and Resource Development and how to access it,” said Mr Vatskalis.

“The Horticulture Information Service, launched in February this year, provides stakeholders with data that is easily accessible, relevant and up-to-date.

“The Horticulture web site, Entomology data base and the Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Environment’s Weeds interactive CD are just some of the examples of cutting edge technology delivered to industry players.

“The Territory’s horticulture industry has grown over recent years, and is helping to keep the Territory moving ahead by embracing new technologies and techniques, which is resulting in new products and markets.”