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WASHINGTON STANDARDS FOR NURSERY STOCK - ROSES

In accordance with Section 2855, R.R.S., an official hearing was held in Olympia, Washington, on January 5, 1951, at which time the Washington Standards for Roses were revised to read as follows:

TEA, HYBRID TEA and EVERBLOOMING; RUGOSA and RUGOSA HYBRIDS;
HYBRID PERPETUALS, MOSS and MISCELLANEOUS BUSH ROSES.

Grade No. 1 3 or more strong canes, two of which are to be 18 inches and up, with the exception of a few of the light growing sorts, which are to have three or more canes, two of which are to be 16 inches and up, and one cane to be 18 inches and up, branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

Grade No. 1½ or Medium 2 or more strong canes, to be 15 inches and up with the exception of a few of the light growing sorts, which are to have 2 strong canes 13 inches and up, branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

Grade No. 2 2 or more strong canes 12 inches and up, with the exception of a few light growing sorts which are to have 2 or more canes, 10 inches and up, branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Grade No. 1 3 or more strong canes, 2 of which are to be 15 inches and up with exception of a few light growing sorts, which are to have 3 canes, 2 of which are to be 13 inches and up, branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

Grade No. 1½ or Medium 2 or more strong canes to be 14 inches and up, with the exception of a few light growing sorts which are to have 2 canes 12 inches and up, branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

POLYANTHA -- BABY ROSES

Grade No. 1 to have 4 or more canes, all to be 12 inches and up and branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

Grade No. 1½ or Medium to have 3 or more canes, all to be 10 inches and up and branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union.

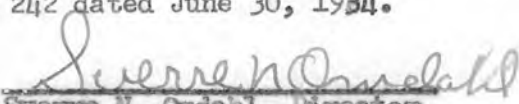
Grade No. 2 - No grade recognized.


CLIMBING-ROSES

Grade No. 1 to have 3 or more strong canes, 2½ inches and up with the exception of Wichuriana and Wichuriana types. These are to have 4 strong canes each 2½ inches and up, branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union or crown.

Grade No. 1½ or Medium to have 2 strong canes, each 18 inches and up, with the exception of Wichuriana and Wichuriana types which are to have 3 strong canes 18 inches and up and branched not higher than 3 inches above the bud union or crown.

This order supersedes and revokes Order No. 242 dated June 30, 1934.


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Dated at Olympia, Washington, this 26th day of February, 1951.