



## National Rose Society Service Award

Dr. Allan Campbell D.S.O., V.R.D., S.M.A., A.R.A.  
and Mr. Ern. Pietsch S.M.A., A.R.A.

At the Annual Meeting of the National Rose Society of Australia in Perth on 21<sup>st</sup> October 2001, it was unanimously decided to grant both Dr. Campbell and Mr. Pietsch the "National Rose Society Service Award".

A brief summary of their many achievements are as follows:

### **Mr Pietsch**

- \* Original member of the National Body.
- \* Editor of the Australian Rose Annual for 21 years (1974-1995, Its longest serving Editor)
- \* Australian Publication Liaison Officer to World Federation for 18 years 1981-1999.
- \* Victorian Delegate for 10 years 1979-1989.
- \* Awarded T.A. Stewart Memorial Award 1982.
- \* Awarded Australian Rose Award 1987.

### **Dr. Campbell**

- \* Original member of the National Body.
- \* S.A.'s Delegate until 1989 ---18 years.
- \* President of the National Body 1975 and 1981.
- \* Involved with the setting up of :
  - Society's Constitution
  - Australian Rose Award 1977
  - Rose Classification and National Judging Rules
  - Judging Roses - A Handbook for Judges 1985
- \* Awarded T.A.Stewart Memorial Award 1976
- \* Awarded Australian Rose Award 1981
- \* Australia's delegate to First World Rose Convention in Hamilton New Zealand 1971.
- \* Has since attended many World Conventions, several times as Australia's delegate.
- \* Allan has been one of the National's representatives on the Board of the National Rose Trial Garden since its inception in 1995.