

Registration Ref.	#044 (11/09/2005)
Cultivar Name	P. 'Valerie Bishop'
Originator	Trevor Bishop (United Kingdom)
Parentage	$P. \times violacea$ 'Victoria' $(?) \times P.$ caerulea $(?)$
Description	Flower 9.5cm to 10.5cm in diameter, slightly scented; petals white with mauve tinge; sepals white with short awn; outer corona filaments 6cm in diameter, deep violet at centre, white and violet/blue at apex; bracts 3cm x 2.5cm; leaves 5-lobed; two petiole glands. Minimum temperature -5C. Named after the wife of the breeder. Crossed in 2003. Resembles male parent and <i>P</i> . 'Ely': a hybrid of the same parentage. The full name for this cultivar is <i>P</i> . × <i>violacea</i> 'Valerie Bishop'.