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CAPInv. 1090: Rose(n)ses

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Southern Italy with Sicily
ii. Region	Campania
iii. Site	Pozzuoli (anc. Puteoli)

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	Rose(n)ses (CIL X 8182, l. 5)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>Rose(n)ses</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	1 - 70 AD
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Professional:	<i>Rose(n)ses</i> : Roses dealers?, see Dubois 1907: 61-2.
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V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	CIL X 8182 (AD 1-70)
Note	See also: EDR113697
Online Resources	TM 256372 and EDR113697
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Funerary inscription in Latin, most likely part of a funerary monument, set up by M. Aplanius Marcellus, son of Quintus, for himself, for his daughter Aplania, his freedwoman and for the <i>Rose(n)ses</i> .
i.c. Physical format(s)	Rectangular stone slab

ii. Source(s) provenance	Found in Pozzuoli, via Campana; this area was part of a necropolis.
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VII. ORGANIZATION

iii. Members	Referred to as <i>Rose(n)ses</i> .
ix. Privileges	All members were offered the possibility of being buried in the burial space donated by M. Aplanus Marcellus.

VIII. PROPERTY AND POSSESSIONS

iii. Income	M. Aplanus Marcellus provided the <i>Rosenses</i> with a funerary monument.
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IX. MEMBERSHIP

ii. Gender	Men Women
Note	Male and female members as well, if, as seems very probable, M. Aplanus Marcellus, his daughter and his <i>liberta</i> (l. 5) were members.
iii. Age	Adults
Note	Adults if, as seems very probable, M. Aplanus Marcellus was a member. The age of his daughter and his freedwoman are unknown.
iv. Status	M. Aplanus Marcellus (accepting that he was a member) was a Roman citizen (enrolled in the <i>tribus</i> Collina). There was also a freedwoman (accepting that she was a member).
v. Relations	There were members of the same family, the Aplanii (accepting that they were members).

XII. NOTES

i. Comments	It cannot be excluded the opinion by Camodeca 1980-1981: 125-6, n. 197, according to which the <i>Rose(n)ses</i> were not a professional association, but a <i>collegium funeraticium</i> .
iii. Bibliography	Camodeca, G. (1980-1981), 'Ricerche su Puteoli tardoromana (fine III – IV secolo)', <i>Puteoli</i> 4-5: 59-128. Dubois, Ch.-A. (1907), <i>Pouzzoles antique. Histoire et topographie</i> . Paris.

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Certain
Note	Nature and content of the text strongly imply a private funerary association.