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## MODELS 552-572 MARKINGS

Attached hereto are prints showing the currently authorized markings for the barrels and receivers of the above two rim fire rifles. It is to be noted that the model identification is presently in two places; namely, the barrel and the receiver. Normally this duplication, does not exist; i.e., our shotgun barrels are not identified according to model but instead this is done on the receiver. The same applies to the high power rifles, and generally speaking, all of our rise fire rifles have the markings concentrated on the barrels, since the Model 510 receiver style and also the Model 550 do not lend themselves well to marking. well to marking.

In setting up the markings for the new Models 552-572 we inadvertently carried over the 510 Series practice for the data to be rolled on the barrels without noting that we were duplicating the model designation on the receiver. It is therefore proposed to revise the M/552-572 barrel marking drawing as indicated on the attached print, eliminating the model designation; thus standardizing our practice for the receiver marking. This will avoid future confusion and also reduce cost through standardization of rolls.

It is requested that the above persons indicate their approvals in turn; P.H. Burdett advising regarding Operations Committee approval, after which the gun standards will be changed.

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