

POWDER-ACTUATED AND INDUSTRIAL TOOLS

Present:	<u>Members</u>	<u>Others</u>
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POWDER-ACTUATED TOOLS

STUD DRIVERS

3/8" CAPTIVE STUD DRIVER PISTON

The Plant reports that samples of this approved item are expected the week of March 2. If samples prove satisfactory, production quantities are expected to be available by March 15.

FLUSH DRIVING PISTON - 1/4" CAPTIVE STUD DRIVER

As in the case of the previous item in the agenda, the Plant expects samples for testing during the week of March 2 and further expects production quantities to be available by March 15, providing testing of samples is satisfactory.

MODEL #40 HEAVY DUTY REPLACEMENT PISTON

The Plant reports that procurement of this item is being established based on Management approval contained in Ilion Division Informative Bulletin No. 1-59 (Powder-Actuated Tools) dated February 19, 1959.

MODEL #30 HAMMER DRIVE TOOL

The Committee was shown samples of the Hilti, Shure Set, Omark and proposed Remington Hammer Drive tools for comparison purposes. After discussion of various tools, the Committee approved the design and appearance of the prototype Remington tool, which is proposed to retail at \$9.95.

The Sales and Research & Development Departments submitted preliminary economics directed to the tool and the studs therefor, considered as a package.

The Economics presented are based on alternatives of purchasing the tool and studs versus manufacture of the tool and studs by Remington. Based on a forecast of 4,500 tools in the first year