CENTER FIRE RIFLES - contd.

MODEL 660 CARBINE BOLT ACTION RIFLE (REPLACEMENT FOR THE MODEL 600)

Six (6) field reports were received. Performance and appearance was satisfactory.

The plant is scheduled to start production to the warehouse in October. $\,$

Committee Action:

Based on the satisfactory reports, this item will be dropped.

MODEL 700 BOLT ACTION CENTER FIRE RIFLE

Exhibit II indicates the full factory costs of the current design Model 700 ADL and BDL rifles with improved metal finish. Also shown are the estimated factory costs and time required to add the proposed improvements. The cost of the Stock has been revised to reflect the added \$.12 to provide a radius at the Barrel groove area of the foreign. The prototype and a current production rifle were reviewed. Marketing indicated the appearance justified the added sanding costs.

Since the changes cannot be effected for 1968, Marketing recommended making the Bolt Handle change and the revision to the Safety in 1968 without component obsolescence. The remaining changes should be held for 1969 announcement. Production schedules should be set up so that only new design rifles are shipped in 1969.

Committee Action:

The Committee approved the Marketing proposal. A prototype will be submitted with the 1969 features when the design is resolved.

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