SHOTGUNS - contd.

Barrel - contd.

Committee Action: contd.

Marketing is to review Remington sales price of spare Barrels and those of competitors and report recommendations at the June Operations Committee meeting. Also Marketing is to determine if any of the present Barrel specifications should be discontinued in 1969.

## Shell Latch

Production reported that an expenditure of \$12,000 has been approved to change the vendor dies to add the step to the Shell Latches. This revision is to overcome the occasional condition of shells misfeeding behind the Carrier. The vendor must supply sufficient of the present blanks to maintain gun assembly before the dies can be altered. It is expected that work can be completed so that all guns produced by the end of the year will have the revised Shell Latches.

R & D reported that endurance testing of this change to the Shell Latches has been limited but the revision is such that the strength of the part should not be affected.

## Committee Action:

Reporting on this subject will be dropped with September.

## OVER AND UNDER SHOTGUN

Funds were authorized for an R & D investigation of an over and under shotgun. A report is to be made at the June meeting covering the results. It is proposed to follow in July with a proposed system of locking, artist's sketches of gun configuration and a high spot cost.

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