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MODEL 700 - DESIGN - PROCESS - PRODUCTION

In discussing status of this model with Walker it appears that we will wish to carefully consider a number of our problems as related to design and process if it will be possible to achieve some of the quality objectives. Research has established certain dimensional requirements which they sincerely believe necessary to meet the objectives and at the same time realizing that some process changes will be necessary.

It is also realized that we will no doubt require some other equipment and the designers are aware that it will impose increase in some unit part costs. However, they believe this will be justified or offset by savings at and beyond assembly. Obviously some further collaboration will be necessary.

From a brief discussion with H.J. Hachman today it would seem more practical to hold off on this for about a week so that we will have cleaned up remaining vacations of people involved, and perhaps we should tackle most important things first. In this case we would suggest the receiver problem, and most specifically, to do what is necessary to eliminate the problem on follow-down. It would seem logical for Process to initiate the next moves on resolving of these. We in Research will try to assist in any way possible.

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