

Model 552 BDL Speedmaster

1957-Present

The Model 552 is now available in only the BDL. It has been offered in many different versions, some of which are now collector's items. The most common grades have been the ADL and the BDL. It has also been available in

Buckskin Tan (BT), tan color finish on all metal parts

Teal Wig Blue (TWB), blue finish on all metal parts

Crow Wing Black (CWB), black finish on all metal parts

In addition, other presentation versions were sold that represented milestones in Remington or American history. Ex: The 150th Anniversary model in 1966, the Bi-Centennial model in 1976, and the 175th Anniversary model in 1991.

If the consumer does not like the monte carlo stock, they can purchase the straight comb stock that is used on the 870 LW shotguns (Stock # 94743). This stock is made of the same walnut and features the same type of checkering pattern.

Some states, such as New Jersey, **have passed laws that limit the magazine capacity on 22 rifles to 15 shots**. When loaded with shorts, the 597 will hold 17 rounds. The magazine tube can be modified or the consumer can purchase a modified tube (#22790).