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MODEL 600 CARBINE - CALIBER 35 REMINGTON MAGNUM
WALNUT VS. WALNUT AND BEECH LAMINATED STOCKS

This will record the arrangements to provide a laminated walnut-stocked-carbine for Sales and Management to decide on marketing it and/or the laminated walnut and beech-stocked-version. It had appeared it would be about mid July before this decision could be reached due to the delivery time of a laminated walnut stock blank with the Urea adhesive. To speed this up, Sales and Research agreed to use the laminated walnut stock we have, (which has the Resorcinol adhesive) to get Sales' and Management's decision with the qualification that the adhesive on the final product will appear the same as on the walnut and beech stocked-prototype (which has the Urea adhesive).

Research is getting quotes on laminated walnut stocks and check quotes on laminated walnut and beech stocks. Methods and Standards will estimate the unit operative earnings on a full cost and out-of-pocket cost basis for the walnut stocks and re-estimate them for the walnut and beech stocks if the check quotes are different than the original.

We are also getting an estimate from Bridgeport on the transfer price of half pound lead slugs to use in place of steel slugs for the stock weights. We will not adjust our cost estimate for these at this time. Methods and Standards current estimate is based on \$.12 for each of two steel slugs. We will probably be able to get the lead slugs from Bridgeport for less. They will have a cropped end, but Research indicates this is immaterial since they will be covered by epoxy resin.

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Plans are made for Research to review with Sales and Management the two alternative laminated stocks at Bridgeport on June 2 at 10:00 A.M. Methods and Standards will have sent me the new cost information for a cost and earnings comparison to send to Sales and Management for their decision and approval for release to Production at that time.

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