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DON'T SAY IT—WRITE IT

DATE Dec. 15, 1965

TO H. J. WATERMAN

FROM W. E. LEEK *Handwritten:* WEL

It has been suggested that we make up a special barrel, 19 1/2" long, for export to Japan on all Model 600 rifles. Apparently, they have a barrel length restriction in that country.

Legally, I believe, all that is necessary is an extension of the barrel, and therefore a piece of tubing may be camouflaged to represent a recoil reducing device, or other idea could be used to fasten on the end of the Model 600 barrel without too much cost, or change in design.

Please see me on this item and see if we can get the project moving.

WEL:T

TO BE SAFE, FIRST THINK YOU MIGHT NOT BE