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Ilion, New York September 15, 1981

TO:

H.K. BOYLE

FROM:

J.P. LINDE

SUBJECT: BOLT ACTION RIFLE MEETING

Marketing has supplied Research with a list of model requirements for the Model 700 ADL and BDL Rifles for 1983 introduction. Based on information from Research, Production estimates it will take 11 to 14 months to start producing guns to the warehouse. This estimate is based on having a complete design package and taking a number of short cuts at added cost.

The design of a number of components is not complete and therefore engineering estimates, and economics cannot be developed. Based on R & D estimates of design completion dates the schedule as presented could not be met. Mr. E.F. Barrett requested that we do the following to expedite this program:

- 1. Write a letter requesting advance authorization so work can start on this program ahead of project approval. The letter should outline project timing, work to be initiated, and expected expenditures until project approval.
- 2. Pull together economics on the two models based on the available information. On the parts where drawings are not available, estimate the costs and note with estimated accuracy range.
- Calculate the burdening on the multi-spindle cut checkering machines based on latest 5 year forecast and projected ADL-BDL volumes.

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