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To: W. H. Coleman, II

From: J. W. Bower

Monthly Report - Firearms Research - May

New Product Development - Shotgun (D. S. Findlay)

Model 1100 Special Field - 12 Gauge (T. P. Powers)

Trial and Pilot testing of the second production sample is in progress, with a May 25 completion date expected.

Models 870 and 1100 Waterfowl (T. J. Plunkett)

The drawings package and parts list for both models have been transmitted to the Plant.

Choke Tube Development (T. P. Powers)

Testing of Remington choke tubes should be complete, with the exception of endurance and strain gauge measurements, by June 8.

Production has verified that they can source tubes for \$1.40 each. They are developing a schedule for producing 30,000 tubed barrels in 1985.

New Product Development - Rifles (R. S. Murphy)

Model 700 Mountain Rifle (F. E. Martin, K. L. Calkins)

The parts list and drawings package have been transmitted.

CAD modeling of the stock is nearing completion. Research is working with Production to assure the timely completion of the stock former.

Model Seven - .308 Caliber

(R. S. Murphy)

The second Trial and Pilot sample has been received from Production. Visual inspection was satisfactory. Function and endurance testing will begin immediately following completion of Model 1100 Special Field testing.

New Bolt Action Rifle

(F. E. Martin, R. H. Smith)

High-spot cost estimates for the various options will be complete by May 25. Prototype guns are expected by mid-June. A Research review meeting is scheduled for May 29.

Current Products

(J. A. Lawrence)

Model 870P Riot Guns

(A. A. Hugick, T. G. Bauman)

Transmittal of the flexi-tab carrier design is complete.

Model 541X Military

(A. R. Eddy)

Transmittal of the drawings package and parts list is complete.

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