

CENTER FIRE RIFLES - contd.Barreled Actions - contd.Committee Action

The Committee approved the proposed sale of Model 600 and 700 Barreled Actions in accordance with the program proposed by Sales. This item will be dropped until the January 1966 meeting at which time results from the first year's offering are to be reviewed.

Model 700, Caliber 22-250 Remington

The plant reports that all tooling had been ordered. Pilot operations are scheduled to start in January 1965 with rifle warehouse production in March.

R & D tested two (2) regular steel Barrel rifles. In 1700 rounds of shooting, the accuracy remained under the 2" specification. Erosion in about 6" at the breech end and on the lands occurred as a result of the extended shooting. After discussion, Sales stated that the use of regular steel for the Barrel would be acceptable.

Committee Action

Production of rifles using standard steel Barrels is to proceed to meet the March 1965 warehouse date.

MODEL 742-760 DE LUXE CENTER FIRE RIFLES

The three (3) prototype Model 742 Autoloading Center Fire Rifles were reviewed by Management. Comments were also made at Regional Manager's meetings on the proposed de luxe grade. The following are the accepted design features: