<u>FIREARMS</u>

SHOTGUNS

WOOD MOLDING - MODEL 870 STOCK

R & D reported the Stock molding equipment is 25% complete. Pilot tryout is scheduled for the middle of March 1966.

MODEL 1100 AUTOLOADING SHOTGUN

Fore End

The tooling required to add the longitudinal cuts at the rear end of the Fore End should be completed by the end of December. Production should start the first part of January.

CBC - BREAK-ACTION SINGLE BARREL SHOTGUN, 12 GA.

R & D reported that because of the low pricing of the gun, the only design changes proposed would be in the Fire Control. In order to obtain the necessary primer indent and reduce Trigger pull, a design change should be made. It was reported that CBC had indicated a design change would be incorporated in any future production. A copy of the R & D test report is available upon request.

Among other items, the packaging would not be adequate. The marketing of the CBC shotgun in the United States could adversely affect the Remington quality image.

Canada indicates a desire to market the shotgun in all gauges. The Remington name would not be used.

Committee Action

One hundred (100) 12 gauge shotguns received from CBC are to be shipped to Canada to determine market potential.