

CENTER FIRE RIFLES - contd.MODEL 700 "BDL" VARMINT GRADE - contd.

<u>Caliber</u>	<u>Factory Ammunition</u>				<u>Bench Rest Avg.</u>	<u>Hand Loaded (Sierra Bullets) Bench Rest Avg.</u>
	<u>Accuracy Device</u>			<u>Avg.</u>		
	<u>No. Meeting</u>	<u>1"</u>	<u>1.25"</u>			
22-250	7	9	10	1.17"	1.02"	.68"
222	9	10		.82	.68"	.61"

R & D recommended an accuracy specification of 1.5" max. for a 5-shot group at 100 yards to be used for control with the accuracy device, on basis that it should yield the desired 1" specification for bench rest shooting. 83

R & D is to continue the program to establish the accuracy specifications for the 223 Remington, 6mm Remington and 243 Winchester calibers.

Committee Action

The committee approved a 1.5" max. (control) specification for calibers 222 Remington and 22-250 Remington.

MODEL 700 "ADL" GRADE

In order to reduce field complaints due to broken Stocks, R & D proposed attaching the Magazine Box to the Receiver for the "ADL" grade. The attached Table 3 shows an added factory cost of \$11,580 per year. It is estimated that Stock replacement costs will be reduced by \$5523 or a net added cost of \$6057 per year.

Committee Action

The committee approved attaching the Magazine Box to the Receiver for the "ADL" grade.