

CENTER FIRE RIFLES (cont'd)

The Plant and R & D made a review of the relative accuracy of the Model 742 and other center fire rifles. The results had been covered in detail with a Marketing representative prior to the meeting. Rifles being produced meet the specifications and the general quality of all center fire rifles has improved as the result of the new Barrel processes. Marketing agreed that the present accuracy is satisfactory.

Committee Action:

The committee approved the proposed improvement for the ADL and the pricing of the BDL. General Management approval to release the proposed ADL for production is to be requested.

Economics are to be developed for the addition of the 243 caliber in the Models 760 and 742.

RIM FIRE RIFLESSERIAL NUMBERING RIM FIRE RIFLES

Out-of-pocket costs (Exhibit 6) were developed to add the serial number and maintain records.

Passage either of the Hruska bill, or the Administration bill, both now pending before Congress, would result in a requirement for serial numbering of all guns. In view of this and distributor requests, Marketing recommended the serial numbering of rim fire rifles.

The plant is making a review of the recording procedure to determine if savings can be effected.

Committee Action:

The Committee approved the addition of serial numbers to all rim fire rifles. This item will be dropped.