SHOTGUNS - contd.

MODEL 1100 AND 870, 12 GAUGE TRAP BARRELS (Introduction 1972)

The Committee reviewed the prototype 34" Vent Rib 12 gauge Trap Barrel.

The revised estimated costs and economics (Exhibit 2) for the proposed Model 1100 and 870 34" Vent Rib Trap Barrels for part order sales were reviewed. With the increased shotgun Barrel capacity, Production stated that the indicated spare Earrels could be produced in 1972.

Committee Action:

The Operations Committee recommended General Management approval to release to production Model 1100 and 870, 12 gauge Vent Ribertap Barrels for part order sales.

MODEL 3200 OVER AND UNDER SHOTGEN (Introduction 1973)

R & D reported that the design testing of the Model 3200 Over and Under 12 gauge shotgun is progressing satisfactorily. The prototype was reviewed at the hearing. The program to produce five (5) model guns for design testing and controlled Marketing field seview is progressing as authorized at the September meeting.

The basis for the preliminary estimate (Exhibit 3), the preliminary machinery and space estimate (Exhibit 4), estimated full book costs (Exhibit 5) and the estimated project costs and economics (Exhibit 6) were reviewed. As indicated (Exhibit 4), 34,400 square feet of new space will be required. This could be divided into three or four blocks of space for wood, Barrel manufacture, job shop machining and gun assembly. After considerable discussion, it was decided to study the preliminary economics and further define the process, volume, and perhaps change the selling price. The economics will be revised.