## SHOTGUNS - contd.

## MODEL 3200 SHOTGUN - contd.

Repairs to warehouse guns and in-process components will start about November 1 if tests show the proposed revisions warranted.

Pending outcome of the testing, customer guns with Bottom Tang problems will be repaired with the addition of the new Strut, revised Sears and heat treated Bottom Tang. If the Top Tang is broken, the repair will include a new Frame Assembly including all design revisions.

## Committee Action:

The Operations Committee directed that the new Strut and revised Sears, which are product improvements, be incorporated into all customer Model 3200 shotguns that are returned to Ilion if the testing of this proposed revision shows favorable results. Production and Marketing are to determine what the fell customers regarding time required for these changes. The Product Safety Sub-Committe will determine what action is required on customers' guns.

R & D reported that the goals on current product design revisions are to increase endurance life and provide product safety even when using the gun with a broken Top or Bottom Tang. Endurance of 10,000 slams at 1400G or 30,000 3" magnum founds with 90% fired through the top Barrel is the goal.

## MODEL 3200 PREMIER TRAP SHOTGUN (Introduction 1974)

Production reported that 361 shotguns have been produced. One hundred and ninety-five have not been shipped.

The remaining 132 are in process. Shipment of additional full fancy walnut blanks is expected in November.

Warehouse and customer guns will be treated as above under Model 3200 Shotgun.