SHOTGUNS - contd.

MODEL 1100 AUTOLOADING SHOTGUN - IMPROVEMENTS

Production reported the following as the schedule for implementing the remaining authorized improvements:

Action Bars - Spin finish - June, 1975 Extractor - June, 1975 Operating Handle Detent System and Wrought Steel Slide Block - March, 1976

MODEL 1100 TRAP VENT RIB BARREL (Introduction 1976)

Production reported that trial and pilot operations will start in June.

MODEL 1100, 20 GAUGE LIGHTWEIGHT SHOTGUN

(Introduction 1977)
Treasury Division has requested registions to the project which began circulating for approval. Project approval is needed in July if schedule 19 to be meet

R & D suggested that these improvements should be held until the Model 1700 new generation improvements could be incorporated into the 20 gauge lightweight.

If there is to be proposed a change in present plans for the lightweight, the Operations Committee needs this information promptly since it is not desirable to delay this improvement program. R & D, Production and Marketing were directed to decide and recommend the course to be taken.

PHOTO-ETCHED MATTING OF VENT RIBS

Production reported that equipment revisions are expected to be completed in June which will increase capacity to 75% of project compared to the 33% reported in April. Costs then would be 56¢/Barrel compared to 95¢ in April and to 35¢ for mechanical cut matting.