

LIMITED DISTRIBUTION

PRODUCT SAFETY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
NOVEMBER 3, 1978

PRESENT:

MINUTE #8 - 1978

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MOHAWK MODEL 600, ETC.

It was reported that 5,600 calls so far have been received at Atlanta. The first two day's tapes of the calls have been analyzed and the other tapes will be processed very soon.

It was reported that outdoor sports writers are beginning to run stories on the recall.

A. W. Bell reported on the progress of the data processing of serial numbers subject to recall. Within a week the initial list covering about 25% of the recall guns will be provided to distributors.

Confirmation letter will be prepared and sent to all of those who have called the message unit in Atlanta.

Remington Representatives will be sent out on November 8 to visit all gunsmiths. Gunsmiths are to be told to have all Model XP-180's sent to Ilion for repair.

Letter to distributors approved for mailing, and a similar letter for retailers was ordered prepared.

R. B. Sperling
Acting Secretary

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REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, INC.

SPORTING ARMS-AMMUNITION-TARGETS-TRAPS
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TO OUR FIREARMS DISTRIBUTORS

SUBJECT: BULLETIN - RIFLE RECALL

Gentlemen:

Attached is a copy of a News Release related to the Recall of one model of our center fire rifles, and our one handgun.

Model Being Recalled

All Remington-Brand Model 600 Bolt Action Center Fire Rifles

All Remington-Brand Model 660 Bolt Action Center Fire Rifles

Any Mohawk-Brand Model 660 Bolt Action Center Fire Rifle
except those with a serial number starting with an "A"

Any Remington-Brand XP-100 Center Fire handgun with a serial number less than 47,507,984, except those with the prefix "A" or "B" before the number.

Dates of Manufacture

Prior to February, 1975.

How Recall is Being Handled

Consumers having guns covered by the recall should be told that Remington recommends that prior to any further usage of their guns they be inspected and modified as required. This will be done at no charge by participating gunsmiths around the country. Consumers may call one of the following numbers for the name of the nearest participating gunsmith.

All States Except Georgia 1-800-241-8444 - Operator 61

Georgia Only 1-800-282-1333 - Operator 61

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If the location is not convenient to personally deliver the gun, the consumer may send the gun collect to the gunsmith and have it returned prepaid.

What Distributors Can Do

We suggest you check your gun inventories to be absolutely sure none of these recall rifles remain in your stock. Also, in a short time we will be giving you further information which will help you to determine the dealers to whom you may have shipped some of these rifles.

What Your Dealers Can Do

Dealers should look through their files to determine shooters to whom the guns were sold. Shooters should then be contacted and told to call the toll-free number for procedures. Also, dealers should check their inventories to be absolutely sure they don't have any of the rifles remaining.

Presently we are combing our files to send you information we will have available on shipments we have made to you of this model. Retrieval of this information in such large quantities is time consuming. If you have any questions for us, please call our Mr. Jack Chisnall at our special WATS ACTION LINE 1-800-243-9273 (inside Connecticut 1-800-372-9379) or write him at the address shown on page 1 of this letter.

Thanks again for your cooperation in handling this recall. Additional information will be sent to you as available, together with a copy of a letter to the dealers which is now being prepared.

Sincerely,

E. J. Conroy
E. J. Conroy
Director of Sales

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