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TO F. E. MORGAN
FROM S. M. ALVIS

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MODEL 700 IMPROVEMENTS

Please note description of this work on Walker's February progress report. I have asked why this should not be included on the Development Schedule. If acceptable, it is apparently not known here whether might be planned to add these improvements "piecemeal" or at one time together with promotional effort in answer to the Model 70 changes.

Walker does not know exactly when he will have a complete appearance model. Understand you have seen proposed decorations for floor plate and that the Patent Attorney has examined proposed design of recoil pad and indicated clearance as to any interference with existing patents.

With the press of other work I doubt that Production could have this in effect at the same time for the left hand models; i.e. 1973, but since the Development Schedule docket is rather sparse for 1974 it may fit well for that year.

At the moment I want to make sure that you are in agreement with Research on the proposed changes as described in the attached report, and give us an answer with regard and if desired to include on the Development Schedule.

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cc: C. M. Calhoun
M. H. Walker

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