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TO: J. H. CARTER
FROM: J.W. BROOKS *JWB*
SUBJECT: XP-100 PISTOL

Since introduction of this model customers and gunsmiths have been using these actions for building bench rest rifles and silhouette pistols. When they use it for a bench rest rifle they use a rifle Trigger Assembly. When they build a new silhouette pistol they usually use the Trigger Link Assembly that comes on the pistol. The majority of the pistols are then restocked and the Trigger Balance, Trigger Balance Pin and Trigger Balance Spring are left out.

In the past we have sold these pistols as barreled actions. The above three parts were not sent with the assembly. The factory cost of these three parts is 58 cents.

We have manufactured and shipped approximately 29,000 pistols to date. Of these we feel there were less than 1,000 barreled actions.

The Trigger Balance, Trigger Balance Pin and Trigger Balance Spring are an integral part of the Trigger Mechanism and help to prevent accidental discharge if the pistol is dropped. We feel the customers should be notified that the parts are an integral part of the Trigger Mechanism. Our new literature, now being printed, has a note covering this information.

The Plant has computer records on shipments back to 1975, and written records that go back to the introduction of the model.

We recommend the following:

1. The customers who purchased barreled actions be notified that the Trigger Balance, Trigger Balance Pin and Trigger Balance Spring are an integral part of the Trigger Mechanism and should be used when stocking this action.
2. Furnish at no charge Trigger Balance, Trigger Balance Pin and Trigger Balance Spring to these customers.

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3. Notify all customers via advertisements or other means that the Trigger Balance, Trigger Balance Pin and Trigger Balance Spring should not be removed from the Pistol.

We would like to schedule a meeting for June 28th at 10:00 AM in the Research Conference Room to resolve this issue. If you have any questions in the meantime, please contact me.

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