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Subject:

Research Inputs for the Model 600 Carbine Focus Panels

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4. Iron Sight preference:

- A. Buck Horn, such as lever action models
- B. M/700 current sight, front and rear
- C. Shortened M/700 sight and front sight ramp
- D. Short fold-down sight such as Lyman blade sight
- E. Receiver Sight
- 5. Barrel length preference 16, 18 or 20 inches.
- 6. Importance of modern cartridge selection bolt action vs lever action cartridges. 308 Win., 6mm Rem. vs 30-30 Win. & 35 Rem.
- 7. Preferred Carbine Rifle weight comparison of selected models.
- 8. Preferred rifle length comparison of selected models.
- 9. Trigger Guard styling
- Bolt Handle styling comparison of selected models.
- 11. Bolt Release with two position Safety general reaction to new design concept.
- 12. Would the customer like the sling included with the rifle?
- 13. Would the customer like the swivel stude installed on the rifle at the factory? Would the customer find a swivel mounted on the barrel objectionable?
- 14. Type of Magazine Follower preferred cast, formed, machined.
- 15. Importance of metal finish and type preferred bright high luster vs dull satin finish.

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