

Action: D. Diaz to evaluate fluted firing pin and report status at next meeting.

- **Model 7400 Improvement Project**
 OBJECTIVE: Quality Issue
 ACTION: Trull to update team on comments and commitments from IWA
 ACTION: Ilion to update on status and implementation dates. MUST HAPPEN FOR WINTER PROGRAM!
 ACTION: Discuss Model number change and strategy for regular catalog line. Model 7500 Woodmaster?

R&D TOPICS

E-Town Development Topics

- **Model 597 Performance Improvement**
 OBJECTIVE: Performance Improvement of 597
 Action: EET on 10 round box was positive. Marketing approved taller box bottom on 10 round box. Diaz to provide update on DAT and target production date.
- **17 Hornady Mach 2 Project**
 OBJECTIVE: New Product
 Action: Discuss M504 strategy and M597 strategy for this new cartridge. Need to have shippable product in the warehouse in September this year.
 Action: Marketing needs confirmation on M504 product for intro at rep principles meeting.
 Action: Diaz to advise on ammo for testing from Eley & Hornady. Critical to have both types for M597 development.

Model 332 Small Gauge

OBJECTIVE: New Product

Action: Diaz to update on design status.

- Prototype 1-2 guns
 - Drawings out for quote on parts
 - Ilion to supply barrels
 - Introduction date August 2005
 - Marketing to provide NPP with 26, 28 and 30 inch barrels
 - Beretta currently smallest frame in market, Remington design smaller yet
 - Design eliminates curved bottom barrel
 - Add use as many parts as possible from 12 gauge
 - Development schedule set up for 8/05 warehouse position
- ACTION: S. Perniciaro to check/evaluate to report on "straight" bottom barrel on 12 gauge. Report at next meeting.
- Quickest route to market from Remington standpoint machining.
 - Casting overall appearance and lines more flexible in S. Perniciaro opinion.
 - Frame to be machined identical to 12 gauge
- **M7615-16.5" bbl, Wilson ghost ring rear sight, adapted to accept AR15 mag box**
 OBJECTIVE: New LE product
 ACTION: Diaz to give brief update on test status.
 - **C.A.R. (Centerfire Autoloading Rifle)**
 OBJECTIVE: New product
 Action: Discuss concept and timing