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### **THE NEW MOSSBERG® 500® SPX** ***THE ULTIMATE TOOL FOR HOME DEFENSE***

North Haven, CT (January 2009) Based upon the overwhelming success of the legendary 500 pump action shotgun, Mossberg unleashes their new 500 SPX.

At the heart of this new special purpose shotgun is the time-tested Mossberg 500 receiver, utilizing a 6-position adjustable tactical stock – allowing the shooter to adjust from 10-3/4” to 14-5/8” length of pull. The M16-style fiber optic front sight and LPA ghost ring rear sight work great by themselves or can be used as a back-up system when optics are attached to the supplied Picatinny rail. The 18-1/2” ported barrel makes this 12-gauge pump gun easy to shoot, minimizing muzzle lift resulting in faster reacquisition of the target.

The Mossberg 500 has been proven to be an effective tool in the field, and now the new 500 SPX it will establish itself to be as an ideal choice for home or personal defense.

#### **Product Specifications**

Action Type:	Pump-Action Shotgun
Caliber:	12 gauge
Receiver:	Drilled & Tapped
Magazine:	Tubular
Capacity:	6
Barrel:	Ported 18.5”
Length of Pull:	10-3/4” – 14-5/8”
Stock:	6-position adjustable tactical
Sights:	front winged fiber optic/rear LPA ghost ring

***Safety and safe firearms handling is everyone's responsibility.***

Avg. Weight:	6-3/4 lbs.
Overall length:	38-1/2"
Origin:	Made in USA
Warranty:	10-yr Limited Warranty

Founded in 1919, O.F. Mossberg & Sons, Inc. is the oldest family-owned firearms manufacturer in America, and is the largest pump-action shotgun manufacturer in the world. Leading the way with over 100 design and utility patents to its credit, and standing as the first ISO 9001 certified long-gun manufacturer, Mossberg is considered to be one of the most innovative firearms manufacturers in U.S. history.

For more details on the new Mossberg® 500® SPX or the complete line of commercial, special purpose, law enforcement and military shotguns, rifles and accessories, please call your local Mossberg dealer or visit us online at [www.mossberg.com](http://www.mossberg.com).