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February 22, 1988

Mr. Robert R. Gibson  
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Dear Mr. Gibson:

Your letter of February 13, 1988 that was addressed to our Firearms Product Manager, Bridgeport, Connecticut, regarding the safety operation on your new Model 700 BDL 243 Win caliber rifle, has been forwarded to this office for response.

All Model 700 rifles produced after 1981 do not have the bolt lock feature, i.e. the bolts can be raised with the safety in the "on-safe" position. Older Model 700 rifles do lock the bolt closed with the safety on.

The bolt-lock was eliminated based on the results of an independent marketing survey in which a greater percentage of the shooters felt it was not a necessary feature and preferred the capability of opening the bolt with the safety on.

If you do desire the bolt-lock feature on your new rifle, we can install the necessary parts at a charge of \$15.00 to cover parts, installation and testing. If you are interested, please send your rifle via insured U.P.S. to:

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Attn: J.A. Stekl, Supervisor  
Product Service