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- Clean the platen of the digital balance, if necessary.
- If the balance is not already on and has been turned on at least 30 minutes for warm-up, turn the balance on and wait 30 minutes for the balance circuitry to stabilize.
- Run the balance calibration routine if necessary
- Make sure the units are set to "lb."
- Carefully place the barreled action on its left side with the barreled action's approximate front to rear balance point directly over the center of the balance platen.
- When the scale settles down, record the weight in Ib. to the nearest 0.1 lb. (Note that the scale has three decimal points displayed.)
- Re-assemble the stock on its corresponding barreled action.

## Data Required:

- Rifle serial number
- Weight to the nearest 0.1-lb.
- Serial number of the Mettler PB8000 balance (it should be \$N 2114475246)

## TLW0010O - Weight of Bolt Assembly:

The bolt assembly, disassembled from the rifle, will be weighed. The test samples will be weighed on the Mettler Toledo digital balance (PB8000) located in the Metrology Lab. The rifle's bolt assembly will be weighed once each.

## Method:

- Check to be sure that the bolt is correctly labeled with the last four digits of its rifle's serial number. This bolt assembly must be returned to its original rifle or the headspace may change.
- Clean the platen of the digital balance, if necessary.
- If the balance is not already on and has been turned on at least 30 minutes for warm-up, turn the balance on and wait 30 minutes for the balance circuitry to stabilize.
- Run the balance calibration routine if necessary
- Make sure the units are set to "lb."
- Carefully place the boilt assembly with the bolt assembly's approximate front to rear balance point directly
  over the center of the balance platen.

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