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RESEARCH TEST and MEASUREMENT REPORT - Report No. \_\_\_\_\_

BOLT ACTION CARBINE PRELIMINARY DESIGN RIFLES INITIAL FUNCTION TEST

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TEST & MEASUREMENT LAB REPORT

REPORT NUMBER:

REPORT TITLE:

Bolt Action Carbine Preliminary Design Rifles

MODEL(S):

Initial Function Test

Carbine

GAGE OR CALIBER:

243, 6MM, 308, 7MM08, 222

DATE:

5-13-81

WORK ORDER NO.:

C-1856

PART NAME:

DESIGNER/ENGINEER:

D. Bullis

TEST TYPE:

1. PHOTO LAB
2. STRENGTH TEST- NO. OF GUNS TESTED \_\_\_\_\_
3. FUNCTION TEST- NO. OF GUNS TESTED 24
4. ACCURACY TEST- NO. OF GUNS TESTED \_\_\_\_\_
5. MEASUREMENTS- TYPE: \_\_\_\_\_
6. ENVIRONMENTAL TEST
7. AMMUNITION TESTING & EVALUATION- TYPE: \_\_\_\_\_
8. VISUAL EVALUATION- \_\_\_\_\_ OUT OF \_\_\_\_\_ GUN SAMPLE
9. ENDURANCE- NO. OF GUNS TESTED: \_\_\_\_\_  
NO. OF ROUNDS PER GUN: \_\_\_\_\_  
TOTAL ROUNDS FIRED IN TEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
AMMO TYPE: MAGS. \_\_\_\_\_; TARGET: \_\_\_\_\_  
RIMFIRE \_\_\_\_\_ CENTERFIRE: X

REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, INC.  
Firearms Research Division

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TO: J.H. Hennings  
FROM: J. Baggetta  
REPORT TITLE: Bolt Action Carbine Preliminary Design Rifles Initial Function Test

ABSTRACT

Received from R & D design twenty-four (24) bolt action carbines. Five (5) each of 243, 6MM, 308, 7MM08 and four (4) 222 for field function evaluation.

SCOPE OF TEST

Field function tests to determine the overall performance of the carbine rifle.

TEST RESULTS

The following tests were conducted at the Lion Fish & Game Club commencing on June 23, 1981.

The 243 and 6MM calibers experienced no malfunctions during a 800 and 700 round test respectively.

The following malfunction rates were experienced for the remaining calibers:

|       |             |       |
|-------|-------------|-------|
| 7MM08 | 700 rds.    | 2.1%  |
| .308  | 2, 500 rds. | 0.8%  |
| .222  | 500 rds.    | 16.0% |

# CARBINE Field Function Test .222 CAL. Preliminary Measurements

| Gun No.                 | B6364418  | B6364423  | B6364421  | B6364422  | B6364417  |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| MEASUREMENTS            |           |           |           |           |           |
| Head space (IN.)        | MIN+0.013 | MIN+0.012 | MIN+0.011 | MIN+0.012 | MIN+0.013 |
| Safe ON (LBS)           | 6.0       | 5.25      | 5.75      | 6.0       | 7.0       |
| Safe OFF (LBS)          | 6.25      | 5.5       | 6.25      | 6.5       | 5.0       |
| Firing Pin              | .022      | .024      | .023      | .023      | .025      |
| Indent (IN.)            |           |           |           |           |           |
| Trigger Pull (LBS)      | 5.5       | 4.5       | 5.0       | 5.0       | 6.5       |
| Bolt Open               |           |           |           |           |           |
| Force (LBS)             |           |           |           |           |           |
| Cocked                  | 6.50      | 5.50      | 6.10      | 6.0       | 5.0       |
| Fired                   | 8.0       | 10.0      | 9.0       | 7.5       | 8.0       |
| Gun Length              | 37 1/4"   | 37 3/8"   | 37 3/8"   | 37 1/2"   | 37 1/2"   |
| Gun Weight (LBS)        | 6.2       | 6.2       | 6.3       | 6.11      | 6.11      |
| Center of Gravity (IN.) | 25R       | 27R       | 27R       | 29R       | 32R       |
| Safety Check            | OK        | OK        | OK        | OK        | OK        |