

CENTER FIRE RIFLES - contd.MODEL 788 CENTER FIRE RIFLES - contd.

The control for the Model 788, 308 and 6mm caliber left hand models will be Bolt Body blanks. The vendor will determine if the blank can be produced from the new material specification (4140). This will probably be in August.

Shipment of the Tri-Ordinate machine for the Receiver should be the latter part of June. Pilot operations on parts except the Bolt Body should start in July.

Model 581 left hand rim fire rifle pilot operations should also start in July.

MODEL 700 CENTER FIRE BOLT ACTION RIFLEExport

To date there has been no report on the testing of the prototype Model 700 rifle with shrouded Bolt furnished the Commonwealth Police Office in Melbourne, Australia. Present design Model 700 rifles are being accepted in Australia.

Committee Action

Since the Model 700 1969 version will have the shrouded Bolt and the present rifle is being accepted, reporting on this item will be dropped.

1969 Version

Tool design for the Stock has been completed. Tooling is due in July for the operations up to checkering. The checkering dies should be completed in September.

Blanks for the shrouded Bolt design are due in July.

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