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#### Discussion Thread

Response (Laura)

11/11/2002 2:27:25 PM

Dear Mr. Bristol,  
Thank you for your inquiry. According to the information provided, this firearm was manufactured in or around 1965. We want to make you aware of a Safety Modification Program that we are offering on these and other bolt action Model 700 rifles. This is a voluntary program, it is not a recall. This is designed to remind people of the existence of the bolt-lock feature and to offer customers the opportunity to modernize their products. If you have a bolt lock safety, we strongly recommend that you take advantage of this offer.

You can read more information regarding our firearms and our Safety Modification program through the front page of our website or the link below:

[http://www.remington.com/safety\\_modification\\_program/remington\\_safety.htm](http://www.remington.com/safety_modification_program/remington_safety.htm)

The safe use and performance of your firearm depends on correct assembly and routine maintenance, as well as adherence to the "10 Commandments of Firearm Safety." <http://www.remington.com/support/10comm.htm> It is critical that you familiarize yourself with the information in both the owners manual and safety booklet. Whether you are a veteran shooter with a collection of Remington firearms, or a first time shooter, take the time to review this important literature and be certain that you are practicing firearm safety!

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 1-800-243-9700 or 1-877-387-6691.

Customer (Mark Bristol)

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I have recently acquired a model 700 in a .308 caliber. The firearm appears old, however, in excellent condition. The serial # is 168466. Can you determine the date of manufacture and possibly where this firearm was sold?

Many Thanks  
Mark Bristol