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**REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, INC.**

SPORTING ARMS-AMMUNITION-TARGETS-TRAPS

ILION, NEW YORK 13357

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April 14, 1992

Mr. Thomas Chattin  
10511 Kirkvale  
Houston, Tx. 77089

Dear Mr. Chattin:

Your letter of February 5th has been passed along to us for reply. We desire to investigate your accident thoroughly in order to determine the cause, and whether our product may be in any way responsible. In order to do that, we will need to examine the accident exhibits at our laboratory in Ilion, New York.

If you are willing to let us do this, I can assure you that no destructive testing would be conducted except with your advance knowledge and consent, and the condition of the gun and ammunition would not be altered, except that we would like permission to strip down several of any remaining unfired rounds in order to examine the components. As soon as an examination was completed, we would return the gun and ammunition to you, and would supply you with a written report of our findings.

If this is acceptable, please send the gun, accident cartridge case, and any remaining unfired rounds from the same box, via U.P.S., transportation C.O.D., to Remington Arms Co., Inc., Ilion, N.Y. 13357, Attention: E.F. Sienkiewicz. Please mark the ends of the box with your name.

Cordially,

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