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Dear Mr. Galayda:

Examination has been completed on the Model 700 BDL 270 Win. caliber rifle, serial number A6442418, that was returned to us by Carter's Country to "check out the trigger assembly" because the rifle had reportedly fired when the safety was released.

The returned firearm, which was produced in April of 1977, has been thoroughly examined and found to contain our high-pressure proof test, gallery test, and final inspection stampings, indicating that it had successfully passed all necessary tests and inspections before being shipped from our factory.

The general condition of the rifle appeared to be good and, it was noted that the factory sights had been removed, and a scope mount and recoil pad had been added after the firearm originally left our factory. In going over the individual parts, we found the headspace, recoil shoulders and chamber all to be normal. Trigger pull was measured to be 5-1/2 pounds and sear-lift with the safety in the "on-safe" position was within our specifications at .0075".

Examination of the rifle and trigger assembly could not duplicate the malfunction that was reported. Many attempts were made to cause the rifle to fire upon movement of the safety from "safe" to "fire", but it would not malfunction. The only way the rifle could be made to fire was with the safety off and the trigger pulled, functioning as designed.