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Dear Mr. Dziengei:

Examination has been completed on the Model 700 ADL 25-06 Rem. caliber rifle, serial number 6326611, that you returned to us a short time ago because, "this rifle has fired accidentally 2 times while moving the safety switch from on position to the fire position ......"

The returned firearm, which was produced in April of 1970, 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 prior to being shipped from our factory.

The general condition of the gun appeared to be very good for a rifle of this age. In going over the individual parts, we found the headsapce, recoil shoulders and chamber all to be normal.

Initial testing of the rifle, in its as received condition, could not produce the reported malfunction that the gun would fire upon release of safety. However, at this time it was noted that the trigger pull measured 2-1/2 pounds; one (1) pound below our minimum specifications.

Removal of the barreled-action from the stock revealed that the inside of the trigger assembly was contaminated with excessive lubrication. In future use, we recommend that the trigger assembly not be adjusted by untrained non-Remington personnel, and that oil be used sparingly and not let accumulate in or on the trigger assembly, as both of these conditions could adversely affect the

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