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Mr. Kyle Fink P.O. Box 505 Mink Pond Road Bushkill, PA 18324

Dear Mr. Fink:

Examination has been completed on the Model 660 308 Win caliber rifle, serial number 121033, which you returned to us because of the accidental firings you experienced.

The returned firearm, which was produced in July of 1967, was thoroughly examined and found to contain a replacement trigger assembly as installed by Stratton's of Audubon, New Jersey, per our 1978 recall which included this model rifle.

The general condition of the gun appeared to be very good, and in going over the individual parts, we found headspace, recoil shoulders and chamber all to be normal.

Examination of the rifle and trigger assembly could not duplicate the malfunction that was reported. All dimensions and tolerances were found to be normal. Also, factory seals were intact on the trigger adjustment screws, indicating no alterations were made to the trigger adjustments outside our factory.

Trigger pull was measured to be  $5_2$  pounds, and sear lift with the safety in the "on-safe" position was well within specifications at .012". The only manner in which the rifle could be made to fire was with the safety off and the trigger pulled, as designed. Inadvertent contact with the trigger while releasing the safety could cause a rifle to fire, which will occur with all popular bolt action rifles.