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bcc: Arms Service R-89-10998 Bill Ericson & J. Hutton Make repairs at no charge Install new trigger assm.

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J & L Sporting Goods R.D. 2, Box 441A Shippenville, PA 16254

Dear Sir:

Examination has been completed on the Remington Model 700 BDL 270 caliber rifle, serial number 6381407, which you returned to us because when closing the bolt the rifle would fire.

The returned firearm which was produced in November of 1970, was 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 rifle appeared to be good; in going over the individual parts, we found headspace, recoil shoulders and chamber all to be normal. It was noted that the stock contained several dings and scratches.

Initial testing and functioning of the rifle by our experts, in its as received condition, revealed that it would sometimes not cock when the bolt was closed; the firing pin would simply follow down on the bolt cocking cam.

Subsequent disassembly of the rifle revealed that the trigger assembly has been improperly adjusted outside our factory. Trigger pull was found to be 2-1/4 pounds. The sear engagement was also tampered with to below our minimum standard, and overtravel was set incorrectly outside our factory.

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