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Mr. Wayne Peveto
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Dear Mr. Peveto:

Your letter of January 7, 1990, the last letter we have received from you regarding your Model 700 BDL rifle, serial number 6508976, has been forwarded to this office, Product Service, from Arms Service for response.

First, I'd like to apologize for the delay in responding to your letters. I assure you that I have collected all the documents relative to this file, the rifle has been thoroughly examined, and I have discussed this matter with Mr. Edward Joy, with whom you have previously corresponded.

The returned firearm, which was produced in January 1972, 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 very good, considering its age. In going over the individual parts, we found the headspace, recoil shoulders and chamber all to be normal.

Examination of the rifle and trigger assembly could not duplicate the malfunction(s) you reported, specifically "on six different occasions this rifle went off when it was clicked from safety to fire" and "...clicked the rifle from safety to fire so same could be unloaded and it went off." Many attempts were made to cause the rifle to fire as you described but it did not happen. The trigger pull and the action of the safety in the "on safe" position were both within factory specifications.