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CUSTOMER COMPLAINT
M/700 ADL CALIBER .30-06 SERIAL NO. 295048
JULY 1967

Present for Examination:-

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Gun in very good condition and appeared well cared for. Examination included the following:

Trigger Pull - 4 1/2 - 5# (3 - 5 Fact. Spec.)

Fire Control Housing - No Damage

Alignment of Firing Pin Cock Notch - Acceptable

Bolt Alteration

Binding of Firing Pin Head, Receiver or Fire Control Housing

Free Movement of Trigger - None

Trigger Connector - Free on Trigger - No Alteration

During the examination of this gun it was noted that date of manufacture and stock design did not correspond. It has '74 stock on '67 rifle. Indicates that gun has been disassembled and could have caused malfunction by improper reassembly. It is also noted that a sticky brown residue was found on receiver and fire control.

It is felt by all concerned that this residue, coupled with the described method of storage, was responsible for the accidental firing of this rifle.

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