

REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, INC.

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE



Dallas, Texas
July 6, 1967

TO : F. E. Morgan
FROM : E. B. Spencer
SUBJECT: Model 660 Field Test

Dear Pete:

Yesterday we had the opportunity of testing the sample Model 660 .308 Caliber rifle, Serial No. 90133 which was shipped to me by Vic DeReus. Dewey Godfrey, Jr. assisted me in the test and we shot the 40 cartridges which you shipped to Dallas for this purpose.

We have first class range facilities and we fired the rifle at both 25 yds. and 100 yds. for accuracy. We were able to shoot several satisfactory groups and found the rifle grouped well within tolerance at 100 yds. Also we found that the rifle would shoot in the 9 ring and 10 ring at 100 yds. with the open sights as provided on the rifle. We did not encounter any malfunctions at all and it was fired both single shot and full magazine fed.

The appearance of the Model 660 is outstanding and the only possible fault that anyone could find with the appearance is the material from which the trigger guard is fabricated. We found the recoil to be terrific when fired from the sandbags and the muzzle blast is just a bit overbearing when fired from the shoulder. It is agreed that these are sacrifices which must be made when a light short barreled rifle is desired. It is our considered opinion that the Model 660 will be far more in demand in 6 MM Remington or .243 Caliber. The .308 Win. is not one of our better sellers in the Southwest.

All and all we found the Model 660 performed very well and we predict a good future for it provided of course the price is competitive.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "E. B. Spencer", written over a horizontal line.

EBS/gm