

DEC: C.G. VERKNER

R#87-10907

HOLD FOR REPLY

JUNE 4, 1987

MR. DOUGLAS HAMANN

5551 TOWNLINE RD.

WISCONSIN RAPIDS, WI. 54494

Dear Mr. Hamann:

Examination has been completed on the Model 700 BDL 270W in caliber rifle, serial number B6282052, which you returned to us because of the accidental firing you experienced.

The returned firearm, which was produced in November of 1981, was found to contain our high-pressure proof test, gallery test, and final inspection stampings, indicating that it had passed all necessary tests and inspections prior to shipment from our factory.

The general condition of the gun appeared to be excellent, and in going over the individual parts, we found headspace, recoil shoulder and chamber all to be normal. It was noted that a scope base had been added to the rifle after it originally left our factory.

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