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Dear Sir:

Your letter of December 5, 1989, along with damaged Model 700 caliber 7mm Remington Magnum, serial number C6332729, with one fired case, has been forwarded to this office for handling.

Visual examination of the barrel indicated that the damage resulted from firing the rifle while a foreign obstruction was present in the bore. This is evidenced by the fact that a characteristic 360 degree circumferential bulge is present at the origin of the rupture, located approximately 1" back from the muzzle.

Microscopic examination of the bulged section in the bore revealed scratches and digs in the steel and a black residue, indicating the obstruction, of unknown origin, was harder than the barrel steel or a bullet.

Based on our findings, the Remington Arms Co., Inc., cannot assume any liability or responsibility for the damage to the rifle, as it resulted from a condition beyond our control. Therefore, we are forwarding the rifle to our repair section where a repair evaluation will be made, following which a repair quotation will be sent to you for review and response.