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MR. STEKL:

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J.A. STEKL

I am in receipt of your letter of May 23. I appreciate the time you and your staff have invested in examining my model 700 BDL 30-06 (Serial No. A6351419).

Although I understand your explanation of "...the circumstances that could possibly have caused the accidental firing," I can not accept them. In that I was alone at the time, I can only assure you that the accident I previously described did, in actuality, occur. I am my own witness, and I am still certain that the gun did - at that time - malfunction. The only consolation I have is that no one (except my vehicle) sustained any damage or injury.

I also appreciate your offer to replace the trigger assembly, if your offer, though, is to placate or otherwise satisfy me, you need not replace anything.

The gun has already been sold - since your recent letter, I would never feel safe with the rifle nor any other Remington product. It is not my intention to downgrade your product to anyone else. Simply, I will never own another Remington product until I can be sure I am not endangering my family or myself by owning one.

Sincerely

William R. Strasky

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