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Mr. Lewis Whitaeker  
Route 1, Box 244  
Sandia, TX 78383

Dear Mr. Whitaeker:

Your letter of July 7, 1989, regarding the several incidents with your Model 700 rifle where you state the rifle "misfired" has been referred to this office for response.

As I understand your letter, in 1977 or 1978, you said "When I pushed the bolt down the gun discharged." Then, in approximately 1980, "Then the gun fired when I pushed down the bolt." Then, in 1985, "I pulled the trigger, but it would not pull. I put the gun down and it went off."

We are sorry to learn that you have experienced these incidents with your Model 700, and it's a shame that you have not had the use of the rifle since 1985. Remington is most interested in examining your rifle to try to determine the cause for the three incidents that you experienced. We would appreciate your sending the rifle, along with a description of your use of the rifle via U.P.S. transportation C.O.D. to:

Remington Arms Co., Inc.  
Attn: J.A. Stekl, Product Service  
14 Hoefler Ave.  
Ilion, NY 13357

Please mark the two butt ends of the outside of the package with the name "STEKL" in bold print to expedite handling.

We will contact you regarding our findings immediately upon