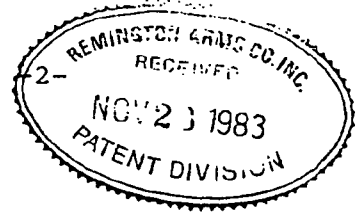


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The following is an Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance: A new search was conducted with particular emphasis on the limitation added by preliminary amendment; that is, that a cam means be withdrawn from the path of reciprocation of a firing pin. As no art was found which would anticipate, or render the claims obvious over the art of record, the application is deemed to be in condition for allowance.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the Payment of the Issue Fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the Issue Fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance".

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