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Mr. James W. Ronkainen,
Project Manager
Remington Arms Company, Inc.
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Dear Jim,

I am sending you two copies of our final report for the project, "Low Cost and Agile Manufacturing of Firearms". This state-of-the-art report provides recommendations for selective manufacturing processes for low cost and agile manufacturing of firearm components. This completes the deliverable for Phase 1 and Phase 2. We hope that this report provides all the information you need in the most accessible format possible. We welcome your comments.

An invoice (Invoice # 011739) with an amount of \$10,000.00 for Phase 1 is enclosed here. The invoice for Phase 2 for \$8000.00 follows.

Remington Arms Company, Inc.'s business is important to us and we believe that there are opportunities where IAMS' engineers may help in providing technical solutions and recommendations to improve the productivity and enhance the competitiveness of business practices of your company.

If you have any further comments or questions, please contact me at (513) 948-2004 or Mike Finn (513) 948-2024.

I wish you a Very Happy Christmas and Prosperous New Year, 1998.

With thanks and kind regards,

Sincerely yours,


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