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September 26, 1980

Mr. Edgar F. Tatro  
51 Edgemont Road  
Braintree, MA 02180

RE: 6.5mm Carcano Ammunition

Dear Mr. Tatro:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 23, 1980, with attached letter of U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation (May 16, 1980) and Department of the Army letter (Sept. 3, 1980).

The two pages of copy reported to be "records of Winchester Western" attached to the FBI letter are not the original invoices but appear to be a summary of the lot numbers, quantities in each lot, time period in which lots were produced, dates of acceptance by the Ordnance Department and dates-quantities of the shipments. This probably was a summary which was prepared by someone in our organization at the request of the FBI and may have been all that was requested of us and all that was furnished to them in this respect. I have no idea of what the unreadable notation at the upper left might be nor what "Index 219" refers to.

I am sure that this is not original invoice material since each lot would have had a separate invoice which would have been typed copy on our invoice letterhead and would have included information such as gross weight, destination, pricing, etc.

The figures and dates in the summary appear to be authentic.

Sincerely,

OLIN CORPORATION  
Winchester Western Division

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "A. S. Hill". The signature is written in a cursive style.

A. S. Hill  
Technical Consultant  
Ammunition Operations

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