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1090 Fargo
Elk Grove Village
ILLINOIS 60007.

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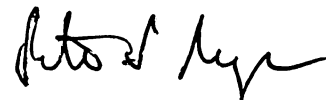
CAMBRIDGE MA.

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed the tear gas guns and knives that you sent to my 15 year old son. Since the package arrived at my home I have been trying to find out what legal right I have to protect my child from this sort of exploitation. You can imagine my chagrin on finding that we have no legal rights, either under US law or Massachusetts law. You can carry on your delightful trade fully protected by our wonderful laws. I wonder if you ever stop to think what might become of the weapons that you sell so blythely to children? No doubt the killing or maiming of one of your own children might give you pause -- but I doubt it -- we must not interfere with the business of making profit!

I am sending copies of this letter to Senators Kennedy and Kerry and to Congressman O'Neill. I hope that they will pass it on to their colleagues in the Senate and the House who are in the pay of The National Rifle Association and companies such as yours. Copies are also being sent to the Better Business Bureau of Boston and to the editor of the Boston Globe. A copy will also be sent to the magazine sellers in Cambridge who peddle your advertisements and to the Cambridge City Council demanding that the sale of such pornographic literature be restricted to adults.

Please reimburse my son the \$60.70 he sent plus the cost of returning this trash.



Peter Rogers
20 Berkeley St.
Cambridge MASS. 02138.

Does anybody ever
complain about this
garbage?

City of Cambridge

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Comm. from Peter Rogers, 20 Berkeley St.,
transmitting a letter sent to the Parellex
Corp. of Illinois Re: sale of weapons to
children & demanding that advertising &
literature for the sale of these weapons be
restricted to adults.

In City Council,

June 16, 1986

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