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Dear Client,

I do hope that my letter finds you in good health as we appear to be coming through this awful time. This pandemic came as a shock to us all and will have affected us in many ways including health and financially. It has however shown that we are a resilient bunch and has shown some true human spirit and kindness.

Unfortunately, it did cause the Proof House, like many businesses, to lockdown for a limited time. We did however manage to continue some activities for essential Police and Military work and we appreciate the detrimental effect that this may have had on your business where you needed our services. We truly appreciate your understanding and patience during these last few weeks but are very pleased to now be able to re-open our doors, albeit in a slightly reduced capacity.

From Monday 18 May we will be accepting deliveries but unfortunately cannot accept 'Priority' jobs as the staff will be busy implementing new procedures for their and for your safety and we will be clearing any backlog of jobs. We do hope however that a more 'normal' service will be resumed from Tuesday 2 June.

Once again we thank you for your understanding and will do all that we can to support you going forward as we all find our feet again and learn to work in what will no doubt be a slightly different environment.

Updates will be posted on our website, so please be sure to check the latest news at:  
<https://www.gunmakers.org.uk>

We wish you all the best of health and prosperity for the future.

Yours sincerely

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