

Christy Mitchell

From: Nickerson, E. Ken
Sent: 06/11/2004 03:53:42 PM
To: Mitchell, Christy
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I would respond by saying that we use a sear block safety, and not go any farther. This sounds like someone digging

From: Mitchell, Christy
Sent: Friday, June 11, 2004 3:41 PM
To: Nickerson, E. Ken
Cc: Pearson, Todd A.
Subject: FW:

I didn't realize he was leaving early. Can you help me with this one?

From: Mitchell, Christy
Sent: Friday, June 11, 2004 12:30 PM
To: Pearson, Todd A.
Subject:

Will you help me with a response to this one?

I am considering purchasing a rifle and was wondering about the mechanics of the 700 BDL safety. My question is this: when the safety is in the "safe position", is the firing pin mechanically engaged so that in the event of a fall, if the trigger were to be depressed, the gun would be less likely to fire because the firing pin was restrained? I've heard that the Browning A-bolt safety's grab the firing pin as well as the trigger when the safety is on. Was also looking at the after-market three-position safeties for the BDL - can you briefly explain what they engage (pin and trigger?)/how they work to reduce the risk of an accidental firing?

Thanks,

Mike Goettel