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Response (Laura)

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Dear Mr. Leonard,
We have a Safety Modification Program on certain model bolt action rifles including the Model 721. This is a voluntary program, it is not a recall. This is designed to remind people of the existence of the bolt-lock feature and to offer customers the opportunity to modernize their products. If you have a bolt lock safety, we strongly recommend that you take advantage of this offer.

You can read more information regarding our firearms and our Safety Modification program through the front page of our website or the link below:

http://www.remington.com/safety_modification_program/remington_safety.htm

The safe use and performance of your firearm depends on correct assembly and routine maintenance, as well as adherence to the "10 Commandments of Firearm Safety." <http://www.remington.com/support/10comm.htm> It is critical that you familiarize yourself with the information in both the owners manual and safety booklet. Whether you are a veteran shooter with a collection of Remington firearms, or a first time shooter, take the time to review this important literature and be certain that you are practicing firearm safety!

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 1-800-243-9700 or 1-877-387-6691.

Customer (Fred Leonard)

7/30/2002 4:54:39 PM

I own a model 721 that I inherited from my father.

By design, the model 721 cannot be unloaded without disengaging the safety. This obviously can create an unsafe condition while unloading the rifle.

I am told that Remington has agreed to replace this safety system on all model 721s with one that allows for the rifle to be unloaded while the safety is engaged.

Is that tue? If so, I would like to get that change made to my rifle.

Please advise.

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