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Remington Arms Co. Inc.  
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Dear Sirs:

I have a Remington 700MDL .30-06 Rifle, Serial No. B6662297, which I purchased new locally. It is a fine Rifle, but I presently have a problem with it. On two separate occasions it accidentally fired as the safety switch was being changed from "S" to "F" with a round in the chamber. Very fortunately safety precautions were being observed as to muzzle direction, etc. The trigger was not pulled or touched in either instance, neither was there sudden jarring or unusual movement. In both instances, with thumb on the safety, there was injury due to the recoil, the first time it was particularly serious to my thumb. I do have a witness on the second occasion to the above facts as we were on a firing range sighting in rifles. Should I send the rifle to your factory, or a local authorized dealer and if so, to whom? Please advise as to preferred course of action.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Very truly yours,

William L. Chesley

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