

this last fall, I did not use the gun. I somehow can not bring myself to load the gun without being sure of it. In Maine, I am somewhat a victim of backyard repair shops, and their "assurances" don't do a thing for my subconscious or peace of mind.

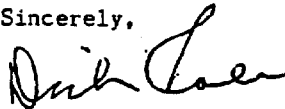
After further reflections, and in this age of class action lawsuits, I also feel that Remington Arms Company deserves the opportunity to evaluate a condition that - knock on wood - could terminate my best friend's life, be financially catastrophic for me and you, as well as doing unnecessary harm to a badgered American tradition.

I am requesting that you inspect, evaluate, and make any necessary corrections to the gun, such that I have your unequivocal assertion that this will never happen again. I find the Remington 700 Series to be the most satisfying fire arm on the market for me. The feel, fit, safety operation/location suits my needs perfectly. All I need now is peace of mind.

Enclosed with a copy of this letter inside the box is a stamped self-addressed post card. Please indicate a time frame of your anticipated evaluation/repair. This will also serve as an acknowledgement for me to know that you have received the gun.

Your considerations are appreciated.

Sincerely,



Richard T. Cole

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