

I have a Remington Woodsmaster 742 s/n 323154. I herd a brief news report abo...

Discussion Thread

Response (Laura)

3/8/2002 10:06:52 AM

Dear Mr. Western,
Thank you for your inquiry. We have a Safety Modification Program on certain model bolt action rifles. 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.

The Model 742 is an autoloading rifle and is not included in this program.

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 (Donald Western)

3/7/2002 11:34:02 PM

Thank you for the timely response. I strongly agree with the right to own firearms. I have a permit to carry and do. However your statement certainly does not reflect the seriousness of the safety switch problem I saw on TV. It appears to me for those that have the affected rifles it is possible a life saving fix, going way beyond a volunteer need. Not saying this is the case however down playing a possible safety problem with a firearm is just the type of fuel the anti-gunners need and like.
Thanks again. As your e-mail says my question has been resolved no need to respond to this.
Donald Western.