

Remington 700 BDL

Discussion Thread

Response (Dell)

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Dear Jeff,

Thank you for your inquiry. You can remove the barrel action from the stock & spray everything down with Rem Action cleaner & allow it to drip dry. Do not tamper with the safety.

When re-installing the barreled action to the stock, use these steps (this depicts a BDL style gun):

place the stock, butt end down, on a very sturdy table, bench, or floor holding the stock in one hand, use your other hand to place the barreled action into the stock, muzzle end pointing straight up. install the trigger guard assembly, including the magazine spring, and follower. install both trigger guard screws HAND TIGHT, then back off a full turn holding the barrel in one hand, and the stock in the other, "slam" the butt end of the gun down on the bench. Once done, hold downward pressure on the barrel and, using the hand you had on the stock, squeeze the barrel and stock together. take your free hand, and tighten the guard screws.

This procedure will "seat" the recoil lug against the back side of the relief cut in the stock, effectively "bedding" the action. Your point-of-aim will not change. This works great on both synthetic and wooden stocks.

Customer (Jeff Price)

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My safety lever is extremely tough to push in to the "fire" position. What can I do? If I take apart and clean, will that throw off the accuracy and will I have to re-sight in?