



*Make it a practice* to clean your bore every time you're going to shoot. Be sure to clean your entire gun before and after long term storage and no less than once a year. It's also important to clean your gun whenever it's been exposed to adverse conditions such as rain, dirt, mud, snow, sleet or saltwater.

For safe and dependable operation of your firearm, all parts of your gun must be properly cleaned and lubricated. Periodically inspect the internal workings of your firearm to be sure they're clean and free of rust, debris and dirt, and debris.

Use recommended lubricants on your gun and do not over-lubricate. Excessive use of oil or non-recommended lubricant could adversely affect the function and safe operation of your firearm. Remember, you are responsible for the proper care and maintenance of your firearm. Failure to properly maintain your firearm can not only damage or ruin your firearm, it can expose you and others to unnecessary risks of personal injury or death.

Remington® has a wide range of firearm care products and resources for best practices when cleaning your gun. Everything from solvents and lubricants to rods and patches. They're all available through Remington dealers.

#### **10TH COMMANDMENT**

Learn the Mechanics and Handling Characteristics of Your Firearm.

*Not all guns are alike.* They have different mechanical characteristics that dictate how you should carry and handle them. Anyone who plans to use a firearm should first become totally familiar with the type of firearms and the safe handling procedures for loading, unloading, carrying, carrying, shooting and storing it.

Before you ever unpack your new Remington firearm, read the instruction book from cover to cover and familiarize yourself with the different components of the gun. Then read, understand and follow the Ten Commandments of Firearms Safety in this book.

**WARNING!** Discharging firearms in enclosed areas, crowded places or in proximity to people or property or in working environments may result in serious bodily harm or even death. Report all visual damage and other before physical injury. Have adequate medical attention at all times. Never drink alcohol after exposure.



#### **SHOOT SOBER!**

There's one other rule that must be followed when handling firearms. In fact, respect for this rule is necessary in order to effectively practice the Ten Commandments of Firearms Safety. The rule is: SHOOT SOBER! Guns and alcohol or drugs make a deadly combination. Please consume any things that could mildly impair your judgment or physical coordination when you're using a firearm. A staggering percentage of the shooting accidents that occur every year involve alcohol or drugs. Be smart, stay sober and stay alive.

**WARNING!** Failure to follow these safety rules could result in serious injury or death of the shooter or bystander and/or damage to property. To receive a copy of the Ten Commandments of Firearms Safety, send a self-addressed envelope to Remington Arms Company, Inc., Attn: Dept. 1000, P.O. Box 705, Madison, NC 27028-4700, or call us at 1-800-244-9760.

#### **DON'T KEEP THIS TO YOURSELF.**

*Now that you've acquired your gun, it's your obligation to help ensure that shooting sports are safe for everyone – participants and bystanders alike. You can do this by practicing these principles of firearm safety and passing them on to others – especially new shooters. Set an example for beginners. Be a guide to their safe entry into the exciting world of shooting sports. Invest your time and patience in the development of this future. After all, it's your love of the sport that led you to buy a new Remington.*

*Firearm ownership is a right and a privilege. It's a right guaranteed in this nation's Constitution. It's a privilege which carries with it the responsibility of using your gun in a way which will ensure your safety and the safety of others. The preservation of this right and privilege depends on the personal commitment of you and your fellow shooters to the safe and responsible use of firearms. That's the Ten Commandments of I Hear It Safely outlined in the book. Study it at all times. Teach and promote these rules whenever you can. Remember, firearm safety depends on you! That's the only way to really enjoy your new Remington firearm and to preserve sport shooting as we know it today.*