



LOCKING DEVICE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

 WARNING – USE OF LOCKING DEVICES	
 <p>Do not store keys in lock.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Always keep your firearm pointed in a safe direction, including when you are installing or removing your locking device.• Always verify that your firearm is completely unloaded before installing your locking device.• Do <u>not</u> install locking devices in the trigger guard; always keep your fingers and locking device outside the trigger guard during device installation and removal.• Store firearms, ammunition and keys separately and securely, away from children and careless adults; do <u>not</u> store your firearm with the keys in the locking device.• Do not attempt to work the action of your firearm with the locking device in place; this may damage your firearm.• While locking devices are an important aid to security measures, they are not a substitute for safe firearm handling and proper storage. Remember that any mechanical device can be bypassed with enough time, knowledge, determination and equipment.
LOCKING DEVICES MUST BE USED SAFELY AND RESPONSIBLY	

It is important to use the correct locking device on your Ruger® firearm!

To Install the Factory-Supplied Locking Device:

1. **Keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction and your fingers outside the trigger guard at all times!**
2. **Remove the magazine from your rifle.**
3. Lock the bolt to the rear by retracting the charging handle fully rearward while depressing the bottom part of the bolt catch, then release the charging handle. (Refer to the “Disassembly” section on page 25.)
4. **Verify that the firearm is completely unloaded and contains no cartridges or cartridge cases!**

5. Insert the cable directly into your rifle as shown in Figure 2.
6. To lock: With the key turned to the farthest clockwise position, insert the loose end of the cable into the lock. Turn the key counterclockwise and remove the key.
7. Once the lock is securely closed, pull firmly on the lock to test the connection and be sure it is locked. **Do not leave or store your firearm with the key in the lock!** Store your locked unloaded firearm and the key in secure, separate locations, away from ammunition, children and unauthorized adults.



Figure 2
*Correct Installation of Lock
For **RUGER® AR-556®** Rifles*