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Good morning!

This morning the update to SAFE you have all been waiting for will be deployed!

We have removed the dreaded drop down lists for firearm manufacturers and calibers!!!! These are now free text that allow you to type what is on the firearm and will accommodate all the different types of ammunition.

Our original design for SAFE had certain automations in mind for the checking of stolen firearms and standardizing the data. We believed that the NCIC Code Manual was more inclusive and updated than you all made us keenly aware of...and we have worked hard for several months to find a better way for you to make your entries, while still allowing us to do what we need to do. I'm sorry it took a little longer than we had hoped, but I do believe this is another example of how serious we take your suggestions, and that we truly want to make SAFE something that is functional and easy to use for you.

Enjoy!

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