

SOME IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT GUN CABINETS

- Home Office guidance on gun security can be obtained from the local Police or the Firearms Section, UPPU, Home Office, 50 Queen Anne's Gate, London SW1H 9AT.
- Gun cabinets must be fixed to a brick or concrete wall using a minimum of 4 x 10mm expanding masonry (rawl) bolts.
- They must be out of sight of casual visitors preferably in a room without direct access (i.e. door or window) to the exterior.
- They should not be sited in a garage or external building.
- They should not be marked to show their contents or key numbers.
- Avoid locating them near central heating ducts or chimney stacks as materials, particularly ammunition can be affected by heat or fire.
- Ammunition must be stored in a separate locked compartment.
- For advice on storage of smokeless or black powder (muzzle loading guns) consult an explosives officer.

