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- ++ Worldwide most comprehensive “CRITICAL COMPANY CHRONICLE: HECKLER & KOCH as a global player” published today in four world languages on the GN-STAT-Website ++
- ++ German TV will show explosive films by D. Harrich to an audience of millions today in the 2nd theme night on the illegal arms trade ++
- ++ Review of successful arms-critical film days "Mercato di Morte - Deadly Trade" in Merano with the participation of GN-STAT ++

Dear friends of peace, ladies and gentlemen

++ Today GN-STAT is publishing the **CRITICAL CHRONICLE HECKLER & KOCH as a 71-page long version in German and as a concise standard version in Spanish, English, Portuguese and German.** In contrast to the official histories of the company, our CRITICAL COMPANY CHRONICLE also names the dark sides of their arms export and licensing policy spanning decades. We give a name and face to the perpetrators and a voice to the victims.

> See www.gn-stat.org > Company overview > H&K ++

++ Today German public television stations are broadcasting the 2nd theme night on **illegal gun exports to Mexican provinces of conflict for an audience of millions.** Their focus is on the scandalous court case and - finally! - also the **victims of illegal arms sales:** 8:15 pm: feature film "*Master of Death 2*" (90 min., ARD) + 9:45 pm: documentary "*Deadly Exports 2 - Arms Managers in Court*" (30 min., ARD) + 11:30 pm: above-mentioned documentary in the 60-minute long version (SWR) - directed by Daniel Harrich. It is of course also pleasing that our criminal charges - J. Grässlin against H&K and RA H. Rothbauer against the control authorities - have set the ball rolling! ++

++ For the first time in Europe, in February 2020, on the initiative of GN-STAT, in partnership with the Municipality and Academy of Merano, the University Platform for Human Dignity and Human Rights (EUPHUR) and other partners, a **film festival on the international arms trade entitled "Mercato di Morte - Deadly Trade"** was held in Merano, Italy. Wolfgang Landgraeber, filmmaker and member of the GN-STAT coordination team describes the successful course of the festival

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Peaceful regards,

Ruth Rohde, Wolfgang Landgraeber and Jürgen Grässlin

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