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EURENCO and FN HERSTAL sign a long-term partnership agreement for the supply of powders for small-calibre ammunition

Paris Air Show, France, 17 June 2025 - EURENCO, the European leader in energy materials, and FN HERSTAL, a subsidiary of the FN BROWNING GROUP and a world leader in small arms solutions, are proud to announce a long-term strategic partnership to supply high-performance powders for small-calibre ammunition.

This collaboration will secure FN HERSTAL's powder supplies and support the strategic autonomy of its armed forces partners in this area.

Pierre-Yves JEHOLET, Vice-President and Walloon Minister for Economy, Industry, Digital Technology, Employment and Training: *"This strategic partnership between FN Herstal and EURENCO enhances the security of supply for our defence industry, particularly given the collaboration between FN Herstal and the Belgian Defence regarding small calibre ammunition. In an increasingly tense international climate where access to energy materials is becoming a critical issue, it is essential to be able to rely on high-performance industrial sites such as those in Herstal and Clermont. This agreement demonstrates Wallonia's capacity to foster sovereign, stable and job-creating industrial sectors."*

Thierry Francou, CEO of EURENCO: *"We are particularly proud to strengthen our relationship with FN Herstal, a long-standing partner and world-renowned player. The signing of this long-term agreement marks renewed confidence in, and recognition of, the excellence of our powders, and underlines our shared commitment to reliability and performance in service to armed and security forces."*

Julien Compère, CEO of FN Herstal: *"This partnership between our two European companies, with strong industrial roots in Europe and NATO, will directly contribute to the security of supply for European armed forces and their allies around the world. EURENCO is a long-standing partner of FN Herstal, whose high-quality powders contribute to the renowned dependability of FN ammunition. Our agreement also illustrates the strong partnership between France and Belgium in the field of defence."*

About EURENCO

EURENCO is the European leader in energetic materials, offering a comprehensive range of powders, explosives, combustible items, and additives for strategic markets, including: Defence and security, space, oil extraction and fuel additives. Our explosive propellants and propellant charges are customised for complex applications, including warheads, missiles, bombs, underwater weapons, and small-, medium-, and large-calibre ammunition.

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About FN Herstal

For over 135 years, FN Herstal has been at the forefront of innovation, providing the world's most demanding armed forces and law enforcement agencies with highly dependable solutions. These include ammunition, small arms and integrated weapon systems for air, land and sea applications, as well as customised support services. FN Herstal is a subsidiary of the FN Browning Group, a world leader in defence, security, hunting and shooting sports.

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