Dead Air Armament (DAA) Ghost-M 9mm Pistol/Submachine Gun (SMG) Silencer/Sound Suppressor and Front Sound Module (FSM) on an Agency Arms Urban Combat Glock 19 (G19) Tactical Pistol! (Video!)

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Dead Air Armament has a pretty slick-looking .45 ACP pistol/SMG (Submachine Gun) silencer/sound suppressor called the Ghost-M. DefenseReview (DR) got to check the Ghost out earlier this year at SHOT Show 2016, and we liked what we saw and heard…or, rather, what we didn't hear. The DAA Ghost-M suppressor utilizes a modular piston mount for functioning, and it also accepts a "Front Sound Module" (FSM) on the front for further sound attenuation/mitigation. We don't yet know how much the FSM enhances sound suppression in terms of decibel reduction, but we'll try to find out, and modify this article accordingly.

The particular pistol onto which the Dead Air Armament Ghost-M pistol/subgun suppressor was mounted at SHOT Show Industry Day at the Range 2016 was an Agency Arms (AA) custom Glock 19 (G19), which sported a nice Agency Arms Hand Fitted Trigger, and what appeared to be an Agency Arms Urban Combat Edition Slide. DR didn't experience or witness any malfunctions at the range, but our round count was limited, so we don't have any high-round-count data on that gun.

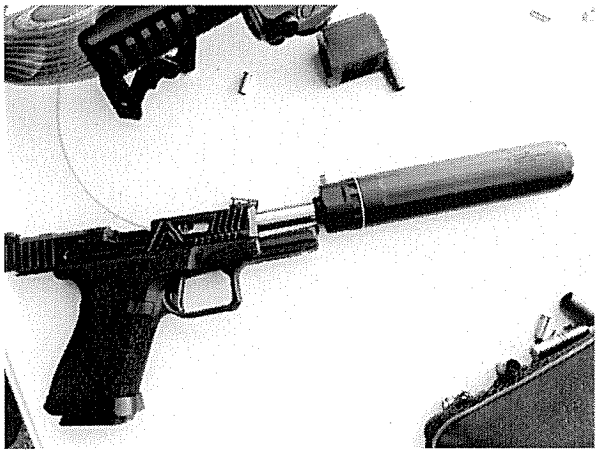
We here at DR aren't big fans of slide cutouts (where the slide is cut all the way through, alllowing you to see the barrel) on pistol designed for concealed carry (CCW) military use, i.e., hard use under adverse combat conditions, as slide cutouts will allow more dirt and debris to enter into the action, creating a greater chance of a debris-related malfunction. A lightened slide also requires that the gun be specifically tuned for that slide with the appropriate, compensatory spring weight.



So, if DR were to have Agency Arms build a custom G19 for us, we'd most likely go with the Agency Arms Field Battle Edition G19 Slide.

Editor's Note: DR's current favorite custom Glock pistols are the Nous Defions/Arsenal Democracy Blackside custom Glock pistols, which are quite minialist in terms of modifications. Every mod on a Blackside Glock pistol has a functional purpose.

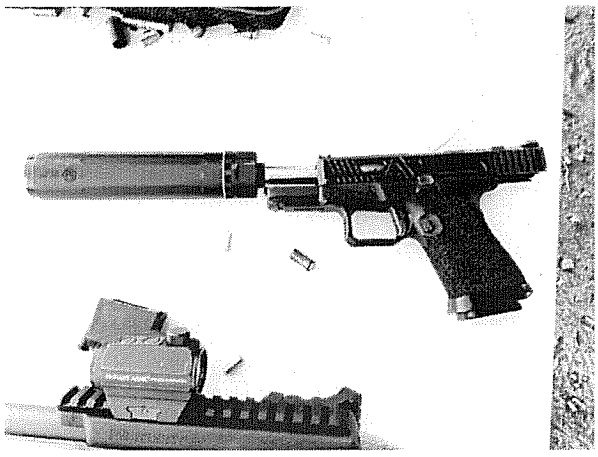
Anyway, subsequent to our range session, we shot some secondary video of Dead Air Armament president/CEO Mike Pappas discussing removing the Front Sound Module from the Ghost-M suppressor at the DAA booth in the exhibition hall, and that's also worth watching below.



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Midwest Industries MI 16-Inch Mid-Length Rifle M-LOK Compatible Tactical AR-15 Carbine with MI SSM Free-Float M-LOK Tactical Handguard and Distressed/Patinated Finish!

Strike Industries SI Mega Fins XL KeyMod and M-LOK Rail Systems with SI LINK Rail Sections with Dual-Interface Design for Tactical AR-15 Rifle/Carbine/SBR's!

LMT Defense MARS-L (Modular Ambidextrous Rifle System-Light) M7LB2/M7LB2T Ambi (Ambidextrous) Tactical AR-15 Lower Receiver Build with Leupold D-EVO (Dual-Enhanced View Optic) 6x20mm/LCO (Leupold Carbine Optic) 1X/1-MOA-Dot Combo Sighting System! (Video!)

LMT Defense LM8PDW556 / LM8PDW300 PDW (formerly the 'Compressor'): 10.5-Inch-Barreled 5.56mm NATO/300BLK Tactical AR-15 SBR/PDW (Short Barreled Rifle/Personal Defense Weapon) with Modified/Shortened SOPMOD Stock (Buttstock) and Weighted Bolt Carrier Group (BCG)! (Video!)

Patriot Ordnance Factory POF-USA Revolution Very-Small-Frame 7.62x51mm .308 Win. Tactical Piston AR Rifle /Carbine/SBR: The 'Smallest, Lightest 7.62mm/.308 Weapon System in the World'?! (Video!)

Patriot Ordnance Factory POF-USA P-300 (also written P300) .300 Win Mag (300WM) Tactical Piston AR Rifle/Carbine: SERIOUS Semi-Auto AR Hitting Power! (Video!)

Beck Defense .510 Beck Tactical AR Rifle/Carbine/SBR with Lancer Systems L12AWM Advanced Warfighter Magazine and 'Controlled Chaos' Hybrid and Nano/RDX Explosive Rounds!

Kalashnikov USA AK Alpha Tactical Rifle/Carbine with Ambi (Ambidextrous) Controls and Hartman MH1 Reflex Sight Red Dot Combat Optic: Next-Step AK-47/AKM for the 21st-Century! (Videos!)

Teal Blue Bravo (TBB) PDQ Ambi-Bolt Release (ABR) Ambidextrous Bolt Carrier Group (BCG) Catch/Release Button/Lever for Tactical AR-15 Rifle/Carbine/SBR's!

Ferfrans SOAR-P 6.5 Grendel Select-Fire/Full-Auto Tactical Piston AR (AR-15-type) Rifle/Carbine/SBR Prototype: Ultimate All-Purpose Tactical AR-15-Type Weapon System for Military Combat? (Video!)

FERFRANS SOAR-P Upper Receiver Setup with Rate Reduction System/Delayed Sear Activation System (RRS/DSAS) Versus Stock Adams Arms (AA) Tactical Piston AR SBR/Sub-Carbine Upper Receivers Mounted on Colt M4A1 Carbine Select-Fire Lower: Full-Auto/Semi-Auto Range Test on Video!

U.S. Military Operator Conducts 2x2x2 Tactical Shooting Drill on Semi-Auto and Full-Auto Using MK18 Mod 1/M4A1 CQBR Upper Receiver SBR with FERFRANS (FF) DSAS/RRS BCG and FF CQB MMBS/CRD! (Video!)

FERFRANS CQB Modular Muzzle Brake System (MMBS) with FF Concussion Reduction Device (CRD) for Semi-Auto-Only and Select-Fire/Full-Auto Tactical AR-15 Carbine/SBR's (Video!)

Chris Costa of Costa Ludus Hits the "Happy Switch" and Goes Full-Auto with the FERFRANS SOAR-P Select-Fire 5.56mm NATO/.223 Rem. Piston AR SBRs/Sub-Carbines/Carbines (Videos!)

Falcon Security Group (FSG) Demonstrates FERFRANS HVLAR (High Volume Light Automatic Rifle) Lightweight Mag-Fed Infantry Automatic Rifle (IAR)-Type Piston/Op-Rod AR Carbine: Who needs an FN M249 SAW Belt-Fed Light Machine Gun? (Video!)

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