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From: Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ)
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Subject: Re: ATF

Ann was speaking to Shelley, and Al Kleiner as a backup. Pjc

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From: Burke, Dennis (USAAZ)
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 10:00 AM
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Who is gathering this info in Tucson?

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From: Dennis Burke
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 09:58 AM
To: Burke, Dennis (USAAZ)
Subject: ATF

ATF "GUN-WALKING" CONTROVERSY WIDENS. The CBS Evening News (3/8, story 5, 2:20, Couric, 6.1M) reported, "Now to Mexico's drug wars and an update of our investigation into a controversial operation in which US agents may have been ordered not to intervene as American guns flow to Mexican gangs. Investigative Correspondent Sharyl Attkisson who's been reporting on this story has now discovered this may have been going on for many years." CBS (Attkisson) added, "Now multiple sources tell CBS News the questionable tactics were used in more than one operation and date as far back as 2008 in the Tucson area," and that "licensed gun dealers often wanted no part of selling to suspicious characters who could be supplying cartels but that ATF enlisted the gun dealers as paid confidential informants and encouraged them to sell even more."