

Connecting Piece and Connecting Piece Comprising a Sight**Abstract**

The invention relates to a connecting piece (1) for fixing on a profiled rail (19), comprising retaining elements (3; 5) that can be moved between a working and a release position, said elements engaging with corresponding receiving regions (22; 24) of the profiled rail (19) releasing the connecting piece (1) in the release position. The retaining elements (3; 5) are coupled by means of a guide slot (41), which is designed in such a way that when the retaining elements (3; 5) are displaced in the longitudinal direction of the profiled rail (19), said elements are also moved obliquely, following the course of the slot. The invention also relates to a connecting piece (1) comprising a sight (57; 104) with an adjustment element (69; 75), which can be moved in opposition to a spring force from a sight position into an adjustment position, said adjustment element (69; 75) being releasably fixed in the sight position in relation to the sight (57; 104) by means of a detent mechanism and can be moved into various sight positions in the adjustment position. The invention further relates to a second connecting piece (1) comprising a second sight (104) that can be mounted directly on the hand guard (109) of a weapon (105) and can be pivoted about a pivoting element (125) from an unused position into a working position, said second sight (104) having a safety element (165) that fixes the sight (104) in the working position against a stop (171), transversely to the axis of the bore.

Figure 10.