



## KFOR – KOSOVO FORCE



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## **KFOR begins the gradual integration of the Kosovo Police into KFOR security architecture at the Visoki Decani Monastery**

Today, (10 August 2026), the NATO-led KFOR mission has begun the integration of personnel of the Kosovo Police into KFOR's security architecture, at the Visoki Decani Monastery. In line with the improved security situation in Kosovo, this is part of the process for optimising KFOR's posture. This process will be gradual and conditions-based, and is being closely coordinated with a range of actors, including the representatives of the Serbian Orthodox Church and the Institutions in Kosovo, as well as representatives of the Kosovo Police and of the EU Rule of Law Mission in Kosovo.

KFOR's commitment to the security of the Visoki Decani Monastery and to the safety of all local communities is steadfast. Our personnel are well postured to respond to any relevant developments, in accordance with KFOR's long-standing UN mandate. KFOR remains the first responder for the security of the Visoki Decani Monastery.

KFOR will continue its close cooperation with representatives of the Serbian Orthodox Church, Institutions in Kosovo, the international organisations, and the Serbian Armed Forces with the aim to safeguard mutual transparency, cooperation and trust, and to avoid misunderstandings.

It is important that all parties engage constructively in dialogue and cooperation.

KFOR continues to fulfil its mandate, based on UN Security Council Resolution 1244 of 1999, by contributing to maintain a safe and secure environment for all people living in Kosovo, and freedom of movement, at all times, impartially, and in close coordination with the Kosovo Police and the EU Rule of Law Mission in Kosovo (EULEX), in their respective roles as security responders.

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