The Paratroopers of the 183rd Nembo Return from Kosovo

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After more than six months of deployment abroad, the 183rd Paratroopers Regiment "Nembo" has officially returned to Pistoia, marking the conclusion of its mission in Kosovo with the return of the War Flag to the "Giovanni Marini" barracks. A moment full of emotion and significance, sealing the contribution of the Folgore Paratroopers Brigade and the Italian Army to the KFOR operation, the NATO mission aimed at ensuring the security and stability of the Balkans.

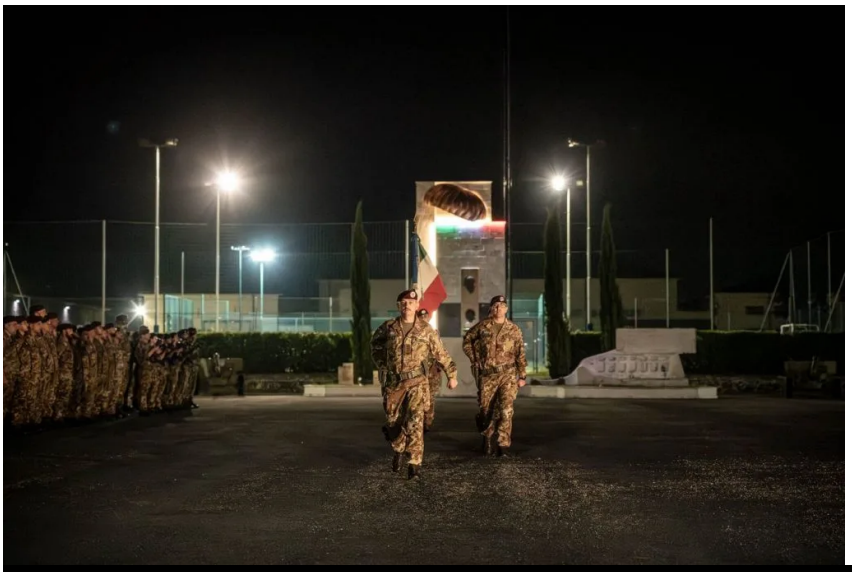
A mission of responsibility and prestige

During the mandate, the paratroopers of the "Nembo" assumed a central role within the multinational device, distinguishing themselves for operational readiness, discipline, and spirit of service. Operating in a complex and delicate context, they confirmed the high standard of efficiency and professionalism that distinguishes the Italian Army and the Folgore airborne troops.

The War Flag of the 183rd Par. Rgt. Nembo leaves Camp Villaggio Italia - Copyright Italian Army

The welcome in Pistoia

The return to the Homeland was greeted with pride and gratitude by local authorities and citizens, who symbolically gathered around the men and women of the 183rd, witnessing the deep bond between the city of Pistoia and its regiment. The presence of civil and military authorities at the “Marini” barracks highlighted the importance of the work carried out in the operational theater and the value that society attributes to its servants in uniform.



The Commander of the Nembo and the Flag group parade on the square of the Marini Barracks in Pistoia - Copyright Italian Army

Training, values, technology: the pillars of the Army

The success of the deployment in Kosovo is the result of constant preparation, the solid value base that animates every soldier, and the use of modern technologies to support operations. These three elements constitute the backbone of the Italian Army, allowing it to face complex missions in international contexts and contributing to global peace and stability.

The return of the 183rd “Nembo” represents not only the end of a mission but also the confirmation of the leading role that the Italian Army plays in the NATO operational landscape. The Italian Paratroopers have continued to write pages of Italian pride abroad, always ready to intervene where required, in the name of security and peace.

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