



Warfighting Scenario Exercises "BOA" and "CINGHIALE" for the 186th Paratroopers Regiment Folgore

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The 186th Paratroopers Regiment "Folgore" has recently completed an important training cycle in a warfighting scenario on the Montagnola Senese, aimed at strengthening the operational capabilities and readiness of the personnel. The exercises, named **"BOA" (September 23-27)** and **"CINGHIALE" (October 14-18)**, were organized with the objective of **perfecting technical-tactical procedures in a combat scenario**, providing the Paratroopers with a training experience that simulates real intervention situations in hostile environments.

During the exercises, the Paratroopers engaged in scenarios with a high degree of realism. Each phase was structured with opposing parties, meaning teams faced off to test their tactical and decision-making skills. To enhance realism, blank ammunition and sophisticated simulation systems such as the **SIAT (Integrated Land Training System)** and the **TWS (Training Wall System)** were used.

The training environment, characterized by rugged terrain, challenging weather conditions, and degraded communications, allowed the soldiers to operate in conditions very similar to real ones. The training of the “Folgore” personnel is fundamental for enhancing the operational capabilities of the Italian Army and ensuring high capacity standards for Defense in crisis and emergency situations.

The 186th Paratroopers Regiment Folgore

The **186th Paratroopers Regiment Folgore** is the heir of the 186th Regiment “Folgore” deployed in the [battle of El Alamein](#). Previously framed as the *5th Battalion "El Alamein"*, it was reconstituted as a regiment in **1992** as part of the restructuring of the Italian army and is stationed in Siena at the Bandini barracks.

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