

## Farewell ceremony at Jasne Błonia

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**Commander of the Multinational Corps Northeast Lieutenant General Rainer Korff participated in the farewell ceremony for soldiers of the 12th Mechanized Brigade setting off on a mission in Afghanistan. The ceremony was held at Jasne Błonia in Szczecin on 7 September 2012.**

Soldiers of the 12th Mechanized Brigade will constitute the main part of 12th rotation of the Polish Contingent in Afghanistan. The Commander of the Contingent will be Brigadier General Andrzej Tuz, the Commander of the 12th Mechanized Brigade.

A number of prominent guests participated in the official farewell ceremony, including the Polish Minister of Defence Mr Tomasz Siemoniak, Chief of the Polish General Staff General Mieczysław Cieniuch, Commander of the Polish Land Forces Lieutenant General Zbigniew Głowienka, Commander of the Polish Operational Command Lieutenant General Edward Gruszka, representatives of regional and local authorities, uniformed services and many others. Multinational Corps Northeast was represented by the Commander Lieutenant General Rainer Korff.

The ceremony was complemented with a military parade.

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