

On behalf of the Minister of Defence of The Slovak Republic, we are pleased to welcome all of you to the 2024 Global SOF Symposium Europe, to be held in Bratislava, Slovakia on October 1-3, 2024.

The Slovak Republic - as a member of NATO during her 20 years - is honoured to host one of the most important SOF related events and significantly contribute with our partners to a safe and secure global environment. The latest developments on NATO's Eastern Flank, further support the necessary and continual modernization of Armed Forces, including the vital Special Operation Forces. The Global SOF Symposium will provide an opportunity to discuss among NATO members current security challenges for better adaptation to the evolving security environment and strengthen our defence capabilities.

General Daniel ZMEKO
Chief of Defence of the Slovak Republic

The Slovak Special Operation Forces are honoured to host the Global SOF Symposium Europe on the occasion of the Slovak Armed Forces' 5th anniversary of the establishment of our Special Operation Command. During this event, the networking, information sharing, lessons learned implementation, and experiences exchange that will take place among the SOF community leads to fortifying SOF partnerships in order to fulfill essential tasks facing the community.

We believe you will enjoy your stay in our capital city of Bratislava during the Global SOF Symposium Europe.

Major General Jaroslav KRÁM
SVK SOF Commander