



# DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF SUPPORT

## Brigadier General Grzegorz BUSZKA



Brigadier General Grzegorz BUSZKA was born in PSARY (Poland) on 11 December 1958. In September 1977 he joined the Armored Military College in POZNAŃ (Poland), from which he graduated in 1981 as a Second Lieutenant.

From 1981 to 1986 he served as a platoon leader and promoted to Lieutenant in 1994 he served as a company commander in the 36th Mechanized Regiment – MORĄG.

In 1986 he became a staff officer of the G3 Department of the 15th Mechanized Division in OLSZTYN (Poland). In 1986 he attended the Staff Officer Course at the Officers Development Center in WARSZAWA (Poland).

From 1987 to 1990 he attended a formation at the Armored Military Academy in MOSCOW (Russia), during which he was promoted Captain in 1988.

In 1990 he became the Chief of Staff of the 50th Reserve Infantry Regiment in LIDZBARK-WARMIŃSKI (Poland) where he was promoted Major in 1992. From 1994 to 1995 he became the Regiment Commander of the 50th Reserve Infantry Regiment. In 1995 he became the Chief G3 of the 15th Mechanized Division in OLSZTYN (Poland).

In 1995 he attended the Tactical and Operational Course at the Military Academy of Defence in WARSZAWA (Poland). From 1996, promoted Lieutenant Colonel, he was the Brigade Commander of the 18th Mechanized Brigade in BIAŁYSTOK (Poland).

In 1999 he concluded the Postgraduate Management Studies at the Polytechnic Institute of BIAŁYSTOK (Poland) and in 2000, promoted Colonel, he became the Brigade Commander of the 11th Armored Brigade in WESOŁA (Poland).

In 2001 he attended the Postgraduate Studies of Country Defence at the Military Academy of Defence in WARSZAWA (Poland). In 2002 he became the Chief of the Training Unit of the Military Education Department in WARSZAWA (Poland). In 2004 he served as a staff officer of the CMATT (Coalition Military Assistant Training Team) in Iraq.

In 2005, promoted Brigadier General, he became the Brigade Commander of the 20th Mechanized Brigade in BARTOSZYCE (Poland) and he concluded the Postgraduate Studies of Defence Policy at the Military Academy of Defence in WARSZAWA (Poland).

In 2006 as the Brigade Commander of the Polish Brigade Combat Team, he served in AL-KUT (Iraq)– IRAQ (AL – KUT); and in 2007 he served as the Deputy Commander of the 16th Mechanized Division in ELBLĄG (Poland). In 2008 he was the Polish Military Contingent Commander of ISAF in Afghanistan.

He has been awarded several national and international decorations: the Merit gold cross; the Gold Medal for Country Defence; the Gold Medal for Defence Service; the Army Commendation Medal (USA); the Bronze Star Medal (USA) and the Medalla De Oro Por Servicios Distinguidos (SALVADOR).

General Grzegorz BUSZKA is married and has one daughter. He is interested in history, tourism and sports like cycling and hiking.

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