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## **Mayor in Kosovo refuses court order to return land to Serbian Orthodox monastery**



**An ethnic Albanian mayor in Kosovo continues to refuse to hand over land to a UNESCO-protected Serbian Orthodox monastery in the province, ignoring a judicial order and even pressure by the EU.**

The 14-century Visoki Dečani Monastery continues to be guarded by NATO forces.

The municipality has refused to return more than 24 hectares of farm land belonging to the monastery.