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## **BULGARIA: NO DECISION YET ON NATO DEPLOYMENT OVER RUSSIA-UKRAINE CRISIS**

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There is no build-up of Nato forces in Bulgaria and the government has not yet decided on the deployment of ground forces, Defence Minister Stefan Yanev said, hours ahead of a meeting of the Cabinet security council on January 25 to discuss the Russia-Ukraine crisis.

The security council meeting, to discuss the crisis and Nato Allies plans to strengthen the Alliances eastern flank, was being held on the eve of a regular Cabinet meeting and a special sitting of Bulgarias National Assembly on the crisis.

Yanev said that the public would be informed once a decision is made whether ground forces would be deployed in Bulgaria.

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