

Visit of Air and Space Commander, Royal Air Force

On December 3, Lieutenant General MOMMA Masahito, Vice Chief of Staff, Koku-Jieitai (JASDF) held a meeting with Air Marshal Allan Marshall OBE RAF, Air and Space Commander, Royal Air Force.

Lt Gen Momma expressed his appreciation for the support and hospitality provided by AM Marshall at RAF Coningsby during the Koku-Jieitai F-15 Eagles' friendly visit to North America and Europe (Atlantic Eagles), which took place in September, and reaffirmed that they would further strengthen the close cooperative relationship between the two air services.

On the following day, AM Marshall visited Fuchu Air Base and Yokota Air Base to interact with Commander, Air Support Command and Commander, Air Defense Command, as well as observe units.

Based on the recognition that the security of Euro-Atlantic and of the Indo-Pacific are inseparable and interconnected, Koku-Jieitai will continue to strengthen its ties with the U.K, Royal Air Force, our closest security partner in Europe, and contribute to regional peace and stability.

