

X/4 C/S - VLTAVA" BROADCASTS STATEMENT SUPPORTING TROOPS IN C/S

MUNICH, AUG.21 (CMD)- A RADIO STATION IDENTIFYING ITSELF AS "RADIO VLTAVA" THIS MORNING BROADCAST A STATEMENT WHICH SAID CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERS THEMSELVES ASKED THAT WARSAW PACT TROOPS BE MOVED INTO CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

(CMD)- RADIO PRAGUE, HOWEVER, ASKED ITS LISTENERS NOT RPT NOT TO BELIEVE THE BROADCASTS OF VLTAVA.

FOLLOWING IS THE BROADCAST OF RADIO VLTAVA WHICH WAS MADE IN CZECH AND SLOVAK:

PROCLAMATION TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLES ARMY:

COMRADE SOLDIERS, OFFICERS, AND GENERALS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE'S ARMY, DEAR COMRADES - IN - ARMS: THE LEADING FUNCTIONARIES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WHO ARE LOYALLY DEVOTED TO THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM AND THE VITAL INTERESTS OF THEIR NATIONS HAVE CALLED US FOR HELP IN VIEW OF THE INCREASED ACTIONS OF THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY FORCES. WE HAVE COMPLIED WITH THIS REQUEST AND WE ARE COMING TO RENDER YOU FRATERNAL HELP AND BY JOINT EFFORTS TO DEFEND THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. OUR FRATERNAL COUNTRIES ARE FULFILLING THEIR OBLIGATION LAID DOWN IN THE BRATISLAVA DECLARATION OF THE COMMUNIST AND WORKERS PARTIES. AS IT IS SAID IN THIS DECLARATION, THE PROTECTION OF THE SOCIALIST ACHIEVEMENTS OF EVERY NATION IS THE INTERNATIONAL DUTY OF ALL SOCIALIST COUNTRIES.

THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF SOCIALISM IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA ARE THREATENED. UNDER THE CLOAK OF FALSE PHRASES THE ENEMIES ARE TRYING TO WREST POWER FROM THE HANDS OF THE WORKING PEOPLE, TO DESTROY THEIR VANGUARD, THE COMMUNIST PARTY, TO BREAK CZECHOSLOVAKIA OUT OF THE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY, AND TO TURN THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC INTO A BOURGEOIS STATE. THIS ALSO MEANS A DANGER FOR THE OTHER COUNTRIES OF THE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY, AS WELL AS FOR PEACE AND SECURITY IN EUROPE.

DEAR FRIENDS, NO HONEST SOLDIER CAN REMAIN INDIFFERENT, WHEN HIS SOCIALIST FATHERLAND IS THREATENED BY SUCH A DANGER. ONE MUST NOT HESITATE A SINGLE MINUTE TO RESIST THE COUNTERREVOLUTION. YOU MUST NOT PERMIT THE VITAL INTERESTS OF THE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY AS WELL AS PEACE AND SECURITY IN EUROPE BE THREATENED.

DEAR COMRADES AND FELLOW-FIGHTERS, BE VIGILANT AND BE NOT DECEIVED BY PROVOCATEURS WHO TRY TO SOW UNREST AND A SPLIT AMONG THE RANKS OF THE DEFENDERS OF SOCIALISM. ACCORDING TO THE ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENTS, OUR TROOPS WILL BE IMMEDIATELY RECALLED FROM THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC AS SOON AS THE DANGER THREATENING THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF SOCIALISM IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS ELIMINATED.

THE COMMAND OF THE TROOPS OF THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES APPEALS TO YOU FOR JOINT ACTIONS FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE REVOLUTIONARY LEGAL ORDER AND FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK FRONTIERS AGAINST ALL ATTACKS OF INTERNATIONAL IMPERIALISM AND ITS AGENCIES AGAINST THE SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

BROTHERS, WE ARE WITH YOU. OUR COMMON CAUSE IS INVINCIBLE.

SIGNED: THE COMMAND OF THE TROOPS OF THE BULGARIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC, THE GDR, THE POLISH PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC, THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC, AND THE USSR.

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