

X/13-EURO- GREECE ATTACKS WARSAW PACT INVASION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA

ATHENS, AUG. 21-(RFE SPECIALOPPER)- THE GREEK GOVERNMENT TODAY SHARPLY CRITICIZED THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER WARSAW PACT STATES FOR THE OVERNIGHT INVASION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

BYRON STAMATOPOULOS, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE MINISTRY TO THE PRIME MINISTER AND CHIEF GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN, CALLED THE INVADERS ""BRUTAL BEARERS"" OF ""IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM, AND AGGRESSIVENESS"".

MR. STAMATOPOULOS STATEMENT SAID :

""IN TWO HISTORIC INSTANCES THE FREE WORLD WAS AWAKENED FROM THE BLISSFULNESS OF COMPLACENCY, IN 1939 WHEN HITLER INVADED CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND IN 1948 WHEN STALIN OVERTHREW BENES BY MEANS OF THE POPULAR FRONT.

""NOW RPT NOW FOR A THIRD TIME MANKIND RECEIVES A NEW SHOCK AND A MESSAGE OF RUDE AWAKENING WHICH IS NECESSARY MORE THAN EVER. WORDS SUCH AS ""IMPERIALISM"", ""COLONIALISM"", AND ""AGGRESSIVENESS"" AGAIN FIND THEIR TRUE IMPORT.

""THE WORLD IS BEING TAUGHT FROM THE INVASION OF TODAY WHO THE BRUTAL BEARERS ARE OF THOSE CONCEPTS"".

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