

X/4 C/S CONDEMNATION OF OCCUPATION BY YUGOSLAV ORGANS (RELEADS CN 265)

BELGRADE, AUGUST 21 (CMD) -- YUGOSLAVIA'S SOCIALIST ALLIANCE TODAY SCHEDULED A SESSION OF ITS EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR TOMORROW AFTERNOON TO CONSIDER THE CZECHOSLOVAK SITUATION.

TANJUG SAID TONIGHT THAT THE ALLIANCE'S LEADERSHIP HAD RECOMMENDED TO THE MEMBERSHIP THAT IT ASSIST ALL VACATIONING CZECHOSLOVAKS BY GIVING "ALL THE MATERIAL AND OTHER AID IN CONNECTION WITH THEIR ACCOMMODATION AND INFORMATION ABOUT THESE DIFFICULT DAYS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

YUGOSLAV TRADE UNIONS ISSUED A STATEMENT "SHARPLY" CONDEMNING "THE GROSS USE OF ARMED FORCE. THE STATEMENT IS QUOTED BY TANJUG AS SAYING THAT "WITH THIS A HEAVY BLOW HAS BEEN INFLICTED TO THE SOCIALIST DEVELOPMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND THAT ENORMOUS HARM HAS BEEN DONE TO SOCIALISM AND PROGRESS IN THE WORLD."

NEWS OF THE OCCUPATION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAD BEEN "RECEIVED WITH DEEP BITTERNESS" BY THE WORKING PEOPLE OF YUGOSLAVIA.

THE STATEMENT GOES ON TO SAY THAT "YUGOSLAV TRADE UNIONS EXPRESS THEIR FULL SOLIDARITY AND THAT THEY OFFER RESOLUTE SUPPORT TO THE STRUGGLE OF THE WORKING PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HEADED BY ITS LEGAL PARTY AND STATE ORGANS, IN THE DEFENSE OF THEIR INDEPENDENCE, NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY AND UNIMPEDED SOCIALIST DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR FATHERLAND AND DEMAND THAT THE ARMED VIOLATION AND THE OCCUPATION BE IMMEDIATELY STOPPED AND THAT FOREIGN TROOPS URGENTLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY WITHDRAW FROM THE TERRITORY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

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