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X/4 C/S - SLOVAK CS HEADQUARTERS NOT OCCUPIED, BRNO SAYS

MUNICH, AUG 22 (CMD) -- RADIO BRNO SAID TODAY THAT THE BUILDING OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE SLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY IN BRATISLAVA AND ITS SURROUNDINGS WERE NOT RPT NOT HELD BY THE "OCCUPYING ARMIES." THE RADIO SAID THAT THIS WAS "VERY INTERESTING."

(CMD: A CZECHOSLOVAK RADIO BROADCAST, VIA HRADEC KRALOVE, EARLIER TODAY HAD MENTIONED THE NAME OF THE SLOVAK PARTY LEADER, VASIL BILAK, IN CONNECTION WITH A GROUP OF CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS WHICH IT SAID HAD A MEETING YESTERDAY IN PRAGUE IN THE PRESENCE OF SOVIET OFFICERS.)

THE BRNO BROADCAST SAID THAT THE BUILDING OF THE BRATISLAVA RADIO HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY THE TROOPS AND NO ONE IS ALLOWED INTO THE BUILDING. IT SAID THE CENTER OF BRATISLAVA IS OCCUPIED BY TANKS, ARMoured CARS AND INFANTRY.

THE BROADCAST ADDED THAT PROBABLY AT 1000 MT "SLOVAK LEGAL BROADCASTING WILL COME ON THE AIR."

(RADIO BRNO DOMESTIC/M, AUG 22, 0811)

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