

X/4 CS - 1ST ADD 1400 INTRO: CEAUSESCU SPEECH (CN 200) XXX COMMUNISM

CEAUSESCU ADDED: "AT THE SAME TIME WE THINK THAT IT IS NOT RPT NOT YET TOO LATE TO GIVE A PROOF OF JUDGEMENT AND SPIRIT OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CAUSE OF FRIENDSHIP AMONG THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES BY STOPPING MILITARY ACTIONS AGAINST CZECHOSLOVAKIA, BY CREATING CONDITIONS CAPABLE OF ENABLING THE CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES OF THE STATE, THE ELECTED PARTY BODIES TO CARRY OUT THEIR ACTIVITY WITHOUT OBSTACLES..".

HE SAID THAT, TO THIS END, "ALL PROBLEMS MUST BE SOLVED THROUGH DISCUSSIONS AND NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE COUNTRY'S LEGAL PARTY AND STATE LEADERSHIP... IN THIS GRAVE SITUATION, THIS IS THE ONLY WAY IN LINE WITH POLITICAL WISDOM, WITH THE INTERESTS OF SOCIALISM."

"OUR COUNTRY'S PARTY AND GOVERNMENT", CEAUSESCU WENT ON, "ARE DETERMINED TO STRUGGLE ACTIVELY TO REACH A SOLUTION OF THE CRISIS CREATED IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA ON BASIS OF RESPECT FOR THIS COUNTRY'S INDEPENDENCE AND NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY, EQUALITY IN RIGHTS, NON-INTERFERENCE..."

AFTER SAYING THAT THE RUMANIAN PEOPLE FULLY SHARED THE PARTY AND GOVERNMENT POSITION (ON CZECHOSLOVAKIA) CEAUSESCU SAID THAT, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT WHAT HE CALLED THE MANY IMPLICATIONS OF THE ARMED INTERVENTION..., THE RUMANIAN PARLIAMENT WOULD DEBATE ON, AND ADOPT A DECLARATION ESTABLISHING THE GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR RUMANIA'S INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY, HER RELATIONS WITH THE OTHER SOCIALIST COUNTRIES AND THE OTHER WORLD COUNTRIES, AND THE WAY TO SOLVE THE CRISIS CAUSED BY CZECHOSLOVAK EVENTS.

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