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LONDON, AUG 22 (UPI)-THE CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY IN LONDON DENOUNCED RUSSIA'S SUPPRESSION OF FREEDOM TODAY AND PLEDGED LOYALTY TO THE REFORM REGIME OF ALEXANDER DUBCEK.

"WE CONSIDER ANY OTHER GOVERNMENT ILLEGAL," AN EMBASSY STATEMENT SAID.

IT SAID DUBCEK'S WHEREABOUTS CONTINUED UNKNOWN. PRESIDENT LUDVIK SVOBODA WAS BLOCKADED STILL IN PRAGUE CASTLE. THE WHEREABOUTS OF PREMIER OLDRICH CERNIK AND INTERIOR MINISTER JOSEF PAVEL ALSO WERE UNKNOWN, THE STATEMENT SAID.

IT SAID THE PUBLIC IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA WAS BEING KEPT INFORMED BY THE FREE RADIOS OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN PRAGUE AND RADIO STATIONS IN PILSEN, BUDEJOVICE, HRADEC KRALOVE AND USTI NAD LABEM.

LOCATIONS OF THESE LEGAL RADIO STATIONS WERE BEING KEPT SECRET, THE EMBASSY SAID.

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