

AMBASSADOR BALL ALSO ADDRESSED HIMSELF DIRECTLY TO MR. MALIK.

"WHAT SHAME YOUR GOVERNMENT MUST FEEL TO BE A PARTY TO THIS CALLOUS AND BRUTAL ASSAULT ON THE UNOFFENDING AND DEFENCELESS CZECH PEOPLE," MR. BALL SAID.

"WHAT FRIGHT THE MEN OF THE KREMLIN MUST FEEL TO RISK THE DISGUST OF THE WHOLE WORLD BECAUSE THEY SEE THEIR DOMINANCE OF THEIR CLIENT STATES IMPERILLED NOT BY ANY THREAT OF FORCE BUT BY THE FIRST FRESH BREATH OF FREEDOM.

"YOU HAVE SAID, MR. AMBASSADOR, THAT ONLY IMPERIALISTS OPPOSE AND DEPLORE THESE BRUTAL ACTS OF YOUR GOVERNMENT. LET ME CALL THE ROLL OF THESE IMPERIALISTS:

"THAT IMPERIALIST THE PRIME MINISTER OF INDIA, THAT IMPERIALIST HIS HOLINESS POPE PAUL, THAT IMPERIALIST PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU OF RUMANIA, THAT IMPERIALIST PRESIDENT TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA, THAT IMPERIALIST PRESIDENT NYERERE OF TANZANIA, THOSE IMPERIALISTS THE LEADERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTIES IN FRANCE AND ITALY.

"THESE ARE ONLY A VERY FEW OF A VERY LONG LIST, A LIST WHICH IS GROWING HOUR BY HOUR, DAY BY DAY.

"WHAT SHOCKS US ALL IS HOW LOW AN APPRAISAL THE SOVIET LEADERSHIP PLACES ON HUMAN INTELLIGENCE. HOW GULLIBLE, HOW CHILDISHLY CREDULOUS DOES IT THINK HUMANKIND REALLY IS?

"THE WHOLE WORLD CAN RECOGNISE NAKED AGGRESSION WHEN IT SEES IT AND THE FRANTIC AND FRIGHTENED LEADERS OF THE SOVIET UNION CANNOT CONCEAL IT AND DISGUISE IT BECAUSE THE WORLD HAS ALREADY FOUND THEM OUT.

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