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THE CZECH DELEGATE SAID HE WANTED TO MAKE THESE POINTS:

1. THE OCCUPATION WAS COMPLETELY ILLEGAL.
2. ONLY THE LEGALLY ELECTED CONSTITUTIONAL REPRESENTATIVES WERE THE TRUE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE REPUBLIC AND ITS PEOPLE AND, CONSEQUENTLY, MUST BE ENABLED TO EXERCISE FREELY THEIR CONSTITUTIONAL FUNCTIONS WITHOUT ILLEGAL INTERFERENCE BY THE OCCUPATION FORCES.

3. ALL THE ACTS OF THE FOREIGN OCCUPATION FORCES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA WERE ILLEGAL.

4. COMPLETE AND IMMEDIATE TERMINATION OF THE OCCUPATION, WITHDRAWAL OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES FROM CZECHOSLOVAK TERRITORY. AND THE FULL RESTITUTION OF THE SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF THE REPUBLIC WERE IMPERATIVE.

"IN CONCLUSION, I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE ONE THING CRYSTAL CLEAR," MR MUZIK SAID. "THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM IS THE ONLY CAUSE WE ARE STANDING FOR AND WE WOULD BE THE LAST ONES WHO WOULD LIKE TO SEE MORE DAMAGE DONE TO THIS CAUSE THAN HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE."

"THE IDEAS OF SOCIALISM ARE SACRED NOT ONLY TO US BUT TO ALL PROGRESSIVE MANKIND."

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