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THE TASS "ANNOUNCEMENT" WENT ON TO ALLEGE THAT THE "ESSENCE OF A LONG-PREPARED CONSPIRACY AGAINST SOCIALIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA" HAD BEEN "REVEALED."

IT SAID THAT "CLANDESTINE RADIO STATIONS TRANSMIT STATEMENTS CALLING FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA FROM THE WARSAW TREATY ORGANISATION, FOR DECLARING CZECHOSLOVAKIA A SOCALLED 'NEUTRAL STATE' AND ORIENTING ITS FOREIGN POLICY COURSE ON CLOSER RELATIONS WITH THOSE IMPERIALIST STATES, ABOVE ALL THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, WHICH CLAIM THE ROLE OF GUARDIANS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

TASS THEN SAID THAT "THE SECRET PLANS DRAFTED RECENTLY BY IMPERIALIST QUARTERS AND THEIR INTELLIGENCE SERVICES BECAME OBVIOUS. IT IS INDICATIVE THAT..BROADCASTS OF CLANDESTINE RADIO STATIONS OF THE COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES ARE RELAYED BY IMPERIALIST PROPAGANDA."

ALL THESE "FACTS CONFIRM AGAIN THE CORRECTNESS AND TIMELINESS OF THE POLITICAL CONCLUSIONS MADE BY COMMUNIST AND WORKERS PARTIES OF ALLIED SOCIALIST COUNTRIES ON THE DANGER OF A COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY COUP IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND ITS ISOLATION FROM THE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY," TASS SAID.

TASS CONCLUDED ITS "ANNOUNCEMENT" BY SAYING THAT "THE PLANS OF COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES ARE AIMED AT COMPLICATING THE SITUATION --- TO PROVOKE STRIKES AND HOSTILE DEMONSTRATIONS, CLASHES AND INCIDENTS, DISORGANIZE ECONOMY AND SUPPLIES AND THEREBY CAUSE PUBLIC DISCONTENT, UNFORTUNATELY, SOME PEOPLE TOOK THE BAIT OF THESE PROVOCATION APPEALS WITHOUT REALISING THAT SUCH ACTIONS DO HARM, ABOVE ALL, TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE THEMSELVES."

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