

THE FOLLOWING QUOTATIONS FROM JIRI HAJEK'S SPEECH, TAKEN FROM THE TRANSCRIPT, AMPLIFY CERTAIN KEY QUOTES IN CN 245 SERIES:

IN CN 247 -2ND ADD HAJEK - THE QUOTE FOR THE THIRD PARAGRAPH WHERE HAJEK SAYS THE PARTY HAS GAINED AUTHORITY READS: "I VENTURE TO DAY, MISTER PRESIDENT, THAT THE LEADERSHIP OF ALEXANDER DUBCEK AND OTHER COMRADES OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS GAINED SUCH NATURAL AUTHORITY AND AN UNDENIABLE LEADERSHIP AMONG THE TWO NATIONS OF OUR COUNTRY, THE CZECHS AND THE SLOVAKS, AS HARDLY EVER BEFORE. THAT IS ATTESTED TO ALSO BY THE SPONTANEOUS POWERFUL STREAM OF SOCIALIST PATRIOTISM WHICH HAS DEVELOPED PARTICULARLY IN THE SUMMER MONTHS AND MANIFESTED ITSELF IN POSITIVE DEEDS, IN WORKING EFFORTS, IN VOLUNTARY COLLECTIONS OF FUNDS NECESSARY FOR THE SOLUTION OF VAST ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AND TASKS."

IN CN 250 - 3RD ADD HAJEK - THE QUOTE FOR THE 8TH AND 9TH PARAS SPEAKING OF DAMAGE TO FEELINGS FOR THE OTHER FIVE COUNTRIES READS: "THE OCCUPATION HAS CREATED THE GRAVEST DANGER FOR THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM IN THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC. IT SERIOUSLY DAMAGES AND PROFOUNDLY HURTS THE NATURAL FEELINGS OF FRIENDSHIP WHICH OUR PEOPLE HAVE HARBORED AND CONTINUES TO HARBOR TOWARD THE PEOPLES OF THE SOVIET UNION, OF POLAND, BULGARIA, HUNGARY AND OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC."

IN CN 255 -5TH ADD HAJEK - THE QUOTE ABOUT THE INVASION STRIKING A SERIOUS BLOW READS: "THE PRESENT OCCUPATION STRUCK A HEAVY BLOW TO THESE EFFORTS. WE ARE DEEPLY DISAPPOINTED, OFFENDED AND HUMILIATED. AND, THIS IS EVEN MORE CRUEL, BECAUSE IT CAME FROM QUARTERS, IT CAME FROM SUCH COUNTRIES FROM WHICH WE HAVE NOT EXPECTED IT IN THE LEAST, AND FROM WHICH WE DID NOT DESERVE IT IN THE LEAST. WE ARE SATED WITH SADNESS, BUT WITHOUT ANY HOSTILITY."

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