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RUMANIAN DELEGATE MEETS THANT

UNITED NATIONS, NEW YORK, AUG 25, REUTER - RUMANIAN AMBASSADOR GHEORGHE DIACONESCU YESTERDAY CONFERRED WITH SECRETARY-GENERAL U THANT AND REITERATED HIS GOVERNMENTS SUPPORT FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA DURING THE CURRENT CRISIS.

RUMANIA HAS ISSUED SEVERAL STATEMENTS AT THE UNITED NATIONS BACKING THE REFORM MOVEMENT IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND "WILL PUBLISH MORE," THE AMBASSADOR SAID AFTER HIS 30-MINUTE MEETING WITH U THANT.

PROFESSOR DIACONESCU TOLD REUTER HIS GOVERNMENT HAD NOT YET DECIDED WHETHER TO FOLLOW YUGOSLAVIAS EXAMPLE BY JOINING IN THE SECURITY COUNCILS DISCUSSION OF THE CRISIS.

CONGO DEMANDS SOVIET WITHDRAWAL

KINSHASA, AUG 25, REUTER - PRESIDENT MOBUTU TOLD THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR HERE YESTERDAY THAT THE CONGO "COULD NOT TOLERATE THE INVASION OR OCCUPATION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN THE MIDDLE OF THE 20TH CENTURY".

A COMMUNIQUE PUBLISHED HERE SAID THE PRESIDENT SUMMONED THE AMBASSADOR, M. IGOR USACHEV, TO HIS OFFICIAL RESIDENCE THIS MORNING AND "DEMANDED" THE IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL INVADING FORCES FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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