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X/4 C/S - GOVERNMENT ORDERS PROTEST TO FIVE COUNTRIES

MUNICH, AUG 25 (CMD) - THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT HAS TOLD THE FOREIGN MINISTRY TO PROTEST TO AMBASSADORS FROM FIVE EAST EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AGAINST THE BEHAVIOR OF THEIR OCCUPATION TROOPS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ACCORDING TO A RADIO STATION IDENTIFYING ITSELF AS RADIO CENTRAL BOHEMIA.

THE RADIO TOLD ABOUT THE PROTEST IN A REPORT WHICH IT SAID HAD BEEN RECEIVED FROM TODAY'S MEETING OF THE GOVERNMENT.

THE REPORT SAID (TEXT): "OFFICIAL AGENCIES OF SOME SOCIALIST STATES HAVE PUBLISHED A REPORT THAT CIVILIAN CARS DISTRIBUTING ARMS TO COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES ARE DRIVING AROUND IN PRAGUE.

"THE GOVERNMENT DECLARES THAT THESE REPORTS ARE ABSOLUTELY UNSUBSTANTIATED AND ARE AIMED AT BEING A PRETEXT FOR THE SHARPENED INTERFERENCE OF FOREIGN TROOPS AGAINST CIVILIAN PERSONS.

THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT FURTHERMORE STATES THAT UP TO NOW THE PROMISE GIVEN BY THE COMMANDER OF THE FOREIGN ARMIES TO PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC LUDVIK SVOBODA ABOUT THE RELEASE OF SOME GOVERNMENT INSTALLATIONS AND MAKING POSSIBLE THE NORMAL WORK OF THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT RPT NOT BEEN KEPT.

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