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C/S - REPORTS OF FOUR EAST EUROPEAN C.P. LEADERS FOR MOSCOW  
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MUNICH, AUG.25 (CNR)- WESTERN NEWS MEDIA QUOTED SOURCES AND RUMOURS IN MOSCOW TODAY SAYING THAT FOUR EAST EUROPEAN COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE EXPECTED IN THE SOVIET CAPITAL TODAY FOR TALKS.

HOWEVER A SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTRY SPOKESMAN SAID HE HAD NO RPT NO KNOWLEDGE OF THE REPORTS ABOUT THE MEETING.

UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL, AGENCE FRANCE PRESSE REUTERS ALL REPORTING FROM MOSCOW AND THE BRITISH SUNDAY TIMES CARRIED THE ITEM.

UPI, AFP AND REUTER SAID THAT POLISH PARTY CHIEF GOMULKA, EAST GERMAN PRESIDENT ULBRICHT, BULGARIAN PRESIDENT ZHIVKOV AND HUNGARIAN PARTY LEADER KADAR WOULD TAKE PART IN THE SOVIET NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATION ALREADY IN MOSCOW.

CZECHOSLOVAK-SOVIET TALKS BEGAN IN MOSCOW ON FRIDAY.

UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL QUOTED "AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES" FOR THE REPORT. AFP QUOTED A "GOOD SOURCE" AND REUTERS REFERRED TO "RUMOURS" IN MOSCOW.

THE SUNDAY TIMES CARRIED THE STORY AS ITS FRONT PAGE LEAD.

ANOTHER REFERENCE TO THE REPORTED MEETING CAME FROM A CLandestine RUSSIAN-LANGUAGE RADIO STATION CALLING ITSELF "RADIO SVOBODA". EARLY TODAY IT BROADCAST OVER SHORT-WAVE TRANSMITTERS WHICH INTERRUPTED BBC WORLD SERVICE FREQUENCIES AUDIBLE IN MOSCOW.

THE RADIO SAID THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATION WAS EXPECTED TO FLY HOME TODAY AND THAT OTHER WARSAW PACT LEADERS WERE DUE DURING THE DAY.

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