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VIENNA, AUG 25 (RFE SPECIAL/KOSTRBA) -- FIRM AND UNANIMOUS LOYALTY TO THE LEGAL CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT WAS VOICED IN A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK LEGATION IN VIENNA.

THE STATEMENT, GIVEN TO NEWS AGENCIES ON FRIDAY NIGHT, EXPRESSED ALSO THE HOPE THAT THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE FIVE WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES HAD IN THE MEANTIME THE OPPORTUNITY TO NOTICE THE UNITY OF CZECHOSLOVAK POPULATION AND TO FIND OUT THAT THEIR ~~CHARGES AGAINST~~ CZECHOSLOVAKIA ARE UNFOUNDED.

THE STATEMENTS APPEALS TO THE WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES TO MAKE A POLITICAL SOLUTION POSSIBLE WHICH WOULD MEET THE DEMANDS OF THE LEGAL CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT AND THE CZECHOSLOVAK POPULATION AND TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THE FACT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIAS SOVEREIGNTY.

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