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(ATTRIBUTION REQUIRED)

X/4 C/S -- MOSCOW SAYS HELICOPTERS SHOT AT BY "BANDITS"

MUNICH, AUG 25 (CMD) -- RADIO MOSCOW SAID TODAY THAT "YESTERDAY IN THE DAYTIME BANDITS SHOT AT A MILITARY HELICOPTER, AND TODAY AT ANOTHER."

THE RADIO DID NOT RPT NOT DISCLOSE WHERE THE HELICOPTERS WERE ATTACKED, BUT THE NEWS WAS INCLUDED IN A REPORT FROM PRAGUE.

(CNR) THERE HAVE BEEN NO RPT NO REPORTS OF SUCH AN INCIDENT FROM CZECHOSLOVAK OR WESTERN NEWS CORRESPONDENTS IN PRAGUE.

RADIO MOSCOW'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS ALEKSANDR POGODIN AND GELY SHAKHOV SAID: "MORE AND MORE NEW FACTS PROVE THAT THE INTERNAL COUNTER-REVOLUTION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAD CAREFULLY PREPARED A COUP D'ETAT IN ADVANCE. CADRES OF DIVERSIONISTS HAVE BEEN TRAINED IN GOOD TIME IN THE WEST AND TRANSFERRED TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ARMS HAVE BEEN SUPPLIED, DEPOTS HAVE BEEN PREPARED, AS WELL AS RADIO STATIONS."

THEY SAID THE RADIO STATION THAT WAS DISCOVERED NEAR PRAGUE HAD BEEN WELL CAMOUFLAGED, AND INCLUDED A HUGE BUNKER HALL WITH STUDIOS, TAPE LIBRARIES, AND EVEN A SPORTS HALL. IT HAD A WELL EQUIPPED SWITCHBOARD FOR CONNECTIONS WITH ALL CITIES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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