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LAUSANNE, AUGUST 26 (RFE SPECIAL/PEDERGNANA) -- THE SWISS (COMMUNIST) LABOR PARTY TO-DAY ONCE MORE CALLED FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL WARSAW PACT TROOPS FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

A STATEMENT PUBLISHED TO-DAY SAID:

"THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE SWISS LABOR PARTY, HAVING MET ON AUGUST 25, ... DEMANDS THE IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF THE INTERVENTION TROOPS, THE REINSTALLATION OF FREEDOM OF ACTION FOR ALL REGULAR AND LEGAL ORGANS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, OF THE COMMUNIST STATE AND ITS REPRESENTATIVES, AS WELL AS THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS UNDER WAY BE HELD ON THE BASIS OF EQUAL RIGHTS OF COMMUNIST PARTIES AND COUNTRIES AND OF THE IMPORTANT PRINCIPLES OF PROLETARIAN INTERNATIONALISM."

IN THE SECOND PART OF THE STATEMENT, THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE COMPLAINS THAT THE SOVIET INTERVENTION GAVE RISE TO ANTICOMMUNIST AND ANTISOVIET PROPAGANDA IN SWITZERLAND.

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