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C/S - RADIO SAYS LONG STRIKES ARE NOT JUSTIFIED

MUNICH, AUG 26 (CMD) -- RADIO FREE CENTRAL BOHEMIA TODAY BROADCAST WHAT IT SAID WAS AN OFFICIAL DECLARATION URGING WORKERS NOT RPT NOT TO TAKE PART IN ANY STRIKES LASTING LONGER THAN A FEW MINUTES.

LONGER STRIKES, THE DECLARATION SAID, WOULD CAUSE TOO MUCH ECONOMIC LOSS.

THE RADIO SAID THAT THE DECLARATION CAME FROM THE PRESIDUM OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, FROM THE GOVERNMENT, AND FROM THE PRESIDUM OF THE TRADE UNION COUNCIL.

IT WAS ADDRESSED TO ALL WORKERS.

SYMBOLIC STRIKES LASTING ONLY A FEW MINUTES WERE APPROVED AS A SIGN OF THE CONDEMNATION OF THE OCCUPATION, THE DECLARATION SAID.

BUT LONGER STRIKES WERE NOT RPT NOT IN THE INTEREST OF THE COUNTRY.

SUCH STRIKES WOULD CAUSE ENORMOUS ECONOMIC LOSSES WITHOUT DOING ANY HARM TO THE OCCUPANTS.

IN A SEPARATE ITEM, THE RADIO QUOTED DIRECTORS OF THE STATE BANK AS SAYING THAT THE STATE BANK, AND THE CZECHOSLOVAK TRADE BANK, WERE FULLY IN THE HANDS OF THEIR MANagements.

THE MANagements WERE TRYING TO CARRY ON AS USUAL AS FAR AS POSSIBLE IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

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