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X/4/9 C/S - WARSAW HOPES CIERNA AND BRATISLAVA SPIRIT WILL WIN

MUNICH, AUGUST 27 (CMD) -- RADIO WARSAW COMMENTATOR ZDZISLAW STANKIEWICZ SAID LAST NIGHT THAT THE SOVIET - CZECHOSLOVAK TALKS IN MOSCOW "PERMIT THE HOPE THAT THE SPIRIT OF CIERNA AND BRATISLAVA WILL WIN."

HE SAID THAT THE "TRAGEDY WHICH HAS TAKEN PLACE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA COULD HAVE BEEN AVOIDED."

HE SAID THAT THE LEADERSHIP OF COMMUNIST PARTIES, OF THE SOVIET UNION, POLAND, HUNGARY, EAST GERMANY AND BULGARIA WANTED FOR SOME TIME TO BRING HOME TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY THE DANGER THREATING CZECHOSLOVAKIA ITSELF AND OTHER SOCIALIST COUNTRIES IF THE HOSTILE ACITIVITY OF REVISIONISTS WAS BE CHECKED IN TIME.

THE COMMENTATOR SAID THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK-SOVIET TALKS IN CIERNA NAD TISOU AND THE BRATISLAVA CONFERENCE OF SIX COMMUNIST PARTIES SERVED THIS PURPOSE.

"HAD THE CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERS ANALYZED THE OBLIGATIONS WHICH THEY HAVE ACCEPTED ON THEMSELVES DURING THE MEETING, THEN THE OVERCOMING OF THE CRISIS WOULD HAVE TAKEN PLACE ON THE BASIS OF INTERNAL, SOCIALIST FORCES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

"UNFORTUNATELY, WE KNOW THAT THINGS HAPPENED DIFFERENTLY. THE CZECHOSLOVAK NATION HAS EXPERIENCED A DEEP SHOCK.

"THE KEY TO OVERCOMING THE CRISIS AND SECURING THE FURTHER SOCIALIST DEVELOPMENT OF THE FRATERNAL COUNTRY IS IN THE HANDS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK PARTY AND GOVERNMENT LEADERSHIP.

"THE MOSCOW TALKS PERMIT THE HOPE THAT THE SPIRIT OF CIERNA AND BRATISLAVA WILL WIN," HE ADDED.

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