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CS - CROWDS MARCH IN PRAGUE

PRAGUE, AUG 27 (CNR/AGENCIES) - HUNDREDS OF PRAGUE CITIZENS MARCHED TOWARD THEIR PARLIAMENT BUILDING TONIGHT CHANTING "WE DONT WANT TO LIVE ON OUR KNEES" AND "WE WANT TO KNOW THE WHOLE TRUTH."

THE MARCH BEGAN IN WENCESLAS SQUARE, AND WESTERN NEWS AGENCIES SAID THE PEOPLE WERE LINED UP 25 ABREAST.

PARLIAMENT OFFICIALS URGED CALM AND ACCORDING TO THE WESTERN NEWS AGENCIES, THE STUDENTS DISPERSED AFTER SINGING THEIR NATIONAL ANTHEM.

SOVIET TROOPS MUSTERED IN SIDE STREETS ONLY ONE BLOCK FROM THE DEMONSTRATORS BUT KEPT OUT OF SIGHT AND DID NOT INTERFERE.

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