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C/S - MOSCOW-PRAGUE LINKS STILL CLOSED TO PUBLIC

MOSCOW AUG 28, REUTER -- TELEPHONE AND TELEX COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN MOSCOW AND PRAGUE REMAINED CLOSED TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC TODAY DESPITE YESTERDAYS SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK AGREEMENT.

SINCE THE OCCUPATION A WEEK AGO, THE POST OFFICE HAS TOLD ENQUIRIERS THAT THE TELEPHONE AND TELEX LINES ARE "OUT OF ORDER."

SOVIET CORRESPONDENTS IN PRAGUE HAVE BEEN MOVING LONG ARTICLES AND STORIES OUT, MANY OF THEM STATED TO BE "BY TELEPHONE FROM PRAGUE."

THE SOVIET AIRLINE AEROFLOT SAID TODAY IT WAS NOW RUNNING NORMAL SCHEDULES TO PRAGUE, BUT THE CZECHOSLOVAK AIRLINE SAID IT WAS NOT OPERATING ANY FLIGHTS. 6

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