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C/S - GOVERNMENT, CENTRAL COMMITTEE SESSIONS IN PRAGUE

MUNICH, AUG 28 (CNR) - RADIO PRAGUE ANNOUNCED THIS MORNING THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT AND CENTRAL COMMITTEE ARE MEETING IN SEPARATE SESSIONS IN PRAGUE.

THE BROADCAST SAID THAT A MAIN TASK OF THE GOVERNMENT MEETING, UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF PREMIER CERNIK, WAS TO APPOINT A GOVERNMENT COMMISSION TO SPELL OUT THE STEPS TO BE TAKEN FOR IMPLEMENTING THE MOSCOW AGREEMENT.

HERE IS THE TEXT OF THE BROADCAST IN ENGLISH AT 1110 M.T.:

"AT THIS HOUR THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF PREMIER OLDRICH CERNIK IS MEETING IN PRAGUE.

"ITS MAIN TASK IS TO APPOINT A GOVERNMENT COMMISSION WHICH WILL SPELL OUT THE STEPS TO BE TAKEN FOR IMPLEMENTING THE ACCORD REACHED IN MOSCOW.

"A NUMBER OF MINISTERS ARE STILL ABROAD WHERE THEY WERE CAUGHT BY LAST WEEKS EVENTS.

"THE FOREIGN MINISTER PROFESSOR JIRI HAJEK ACCORDING TO AGENCY REPORTS IS ON HIS WAY BACK TO BELGRADE FROM NEW YORK VIA LONDON.

"ANOTHER VITAL TOPIC ON THIS MORNINGS CABINET AGENDA IS THE CURTAILMENT OF THE FREEDOM COMMUNICATIONS AT WHICH MR DUBCEK MORE THAN HINTED IN HIS ADDRESS TO THE NATION AFTER HIS RETURN FROM MOSCOW.

"ANOTHER KEY MEETING BEGAN AT 1000 THIS MORNING - NAMELY A PLENARY SESSION OF THE NEWLY ELECTED CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY.

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