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X/4 C/S - HUSAK: TROOPS COULD LEAVE SOME AREAS IN ONE, TWO, THREE DAYS
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MUNICH, AUG 28 (CMD) - CZECHOSLOVAK DEPUTY PREMIER GUSTAV HUSAK HAS SAID THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATION WAS TOLD IN MOSCOW THAT THE "ALLIED TROOPS" COULD WITHDRAW FROM THOSE AREAS OF THE COUNTRY IN WHICH CALM WOULD PREVAIL "IN ONE, TWO, OR THREE DAYS."

THE FREE TRANSMITTER OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK RADIO, DANUBE, TODAY CARRIED EXCERPTS FROM HUSAK'S SPEECH DELIVERED AT THE EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS OF THE SLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY YESTERDAY.

THE DEPUTY PREMIER SAID: "IT WAS DECIDED THAT IN THOSE AREAS, TOWNS AND CITIES IN THOSE PARTS WHERE THERE WILL BE CALM, WHERE WE ALONE, THROUGH OUR OWN POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE MEANS, WILL BE CAPABLE OF ENSURING CALM, THE NORMAL COURSE OF LIFE, THE ALLIED TROOPS WILL BE WITHDRAWN EXACTLY TO MAKE POSSIBLE THE NORMAL LIFE AND THE NORMAL COURSE OF WORK.

"THIS CAN BE - AS IT WAS SAID - IN SOME AREAS WITHIN A VERY SHORT TIME: IN ONE, TWO, THREE DAYS, IN OTHER AREAS, ACCORDING TO THE SITUATION, PERHAPS A LITTLE BIT LATER.

"IN GENERAL WE WERE TOLD THAT THERE IS NO RPT NO REASON THAT THE TROOPS STAY WHERE THERE IS CALM, WHERE THERE IS ORDER, WHERE THERE WILL BE NO RPT NO INCIDENTS. I THINK THAT THIS QUESTION IS VERY IMPORTANT FOR US AND FOR OUR DEVELOPMENT," HUSAK DECLARED.

HE ADDED THAT WHEN LOOKING FOR A SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEMS ONE HAD TO CONSIDER THE FACT THAT "THE ARMIES OF THE ALLIED STATES ARE ON OUR TERRITORY AND THAT THEY CAN LEAVE IT ONLY UNDER A MUTUAL AGREEMENT."

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