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CONCERNING THE MOSCOW TALKS, THE SLOVAK PARTY COMMUNIQUE SAID:

"IN THE INTEREST OF A QUIET DEVELOPMENT OF OUR HOMELAND, IN THE INTEREST OF THE POSSIBILITY TO CONTINUE THE POST-JANUARY DEVELOPMENT IN OUR COUNTRY AND IN THE INTEREST OF THE REALIZATION OF THE ACTION PROGRAM OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAK, THE EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS SAW NO RPT NO OTHER POSSIBILITY BUT TO SUPPORT THE REALIZATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE MOSCOW TALKS."

THE COMMUNIQUE CALLED FOR A CONSOLIDATION OF POLITICAL CONDITIONS SO THAT ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL-SOCIAL LIFE CAN BE DEVELOPED FURTHER.

"ONLY THAT ROAD," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID, "WILL LEAD TO A RESTORATION OF ORDER, TO THE FURTHER DEEPENING OF THE DEMOCRATIZATION PROCESS, TO THE UNCONDITIONAL AND URGENT DEPARTURE OF THE TROOPS OF THE WARSAW PACT FROM THE TERRITORY OF OUR REPUBLIC..."

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID HUSAK SPOKE TO THE CONGRESS AND DISCUSSED A POSSIBLE WAY OUT OF THE CURRENT "ABNORMAL SITUATION."

"THE ONLY REASONABLE WAY OUT," HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING "IS A POLITICAL SOLUTION OF THE SITUATION, KEEPING IN MIND THE HARD AND INEXORABLE REALITY OF THE PRESENCE OF TROOPS OF THE WARSAW PACT ON OUR SOIL. ANY OTHER ALTERNATIVE WOULD BRING FOR OUR PEOPLE UNIMAGINABLE SACRIFICES IN LIVES AND DISASTROUS ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES."

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