

X/4 C/S - ZAGREB COMMENTATOR CALLS MOSCOW AGREEMENT NECESSARY EVIL

MUNICH, AUG 29 (CMD) - A RADIO ZAGREB COMMENTATOR LAST NIGHT CALLED THE CZECHOSLOVAK-SOVIET AGREEMENT REACHED IN MOSCOW AFTER THE WARSAW PACT OCCUPATION OF THE COUNTRY "AN UNAVOIDABLE NECESSARY EVIL."

COMMENTATOR MILIKA SUNDIC ADDED THAT AS LONG AS COMMUNIST PARTIES CONTINUE TO INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF OTHER PARTIES AND COUNTRIES THERE CAN BE "NO RPT NO QUESTION OF UNITY AND TRUST" WITHIN THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT.

ZUNDIC SAID:

THE WORKING CLASS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS ALONE CALLED UPON TO PASS JUDGEMENT ON THE MOSCOW TALKS. THE ATTITUDE OF SOCIALIST YUGOSLAVIA IS SUCCINTLY EXPRESSED IN THE RESOLUTION OF THE TENTH MEETING OF THE YUGOSLAV LEAGUE OF COMMUNIST CENTRAL COMMITTEE. EVERYTHING IT SAYS IS VALID, NOT RPT NOT ONLY NOW, BUT WITH REGARD TO FUTURE ACTIVITY AS WELL.

HERE IS A COMMENTARY BY MILIKA SUNDIC: IT WOULD SEEM THAT THE KREMLIN COMPROMISE IN AN UNAVOIABLE NECESSARY EVIL, OR AS ALEXANDER DUBCEK, FIRST SECRETARY OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE PUT IT, A POLITICAL REALITY AT THE PRESENT TIME.

CONFRONTED WITH A MERCILESS OCCUPATION OF THEIR COUNTRY, THE CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERS HAD TO ACCEPT AN IMPOSED SOLUTION. HOWEVER, DESPITE THIS ONE COULD NOT RPT NOT SAY THAT THIS IS THEIR DEFEAT. ON THE CONTRARY, IT IS A DEFEAT FOR THE AGGRESSORS BECAUSE THE OUTCOME OF THE TALKS IN MOSCOW CONTAINS THE PROMISE THAT THE CZECHS AND SLOVAKS WILL PERSEVERE IN THEIR RESOLVE, AS PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC LUDVIK SVOBODA PUT IT, TO CARRY ON INCIPIENT COURSE OF REVIVAL REGARDLESS OF THE FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DIFFICULTIES.

PRAGUE WAS NOT RPT NOT RECONCILED TO THE POLICY OF FAIT ACCOMPLI, ALTHOUGH IT HAD BEEN IMPOSED UPON IT. THE COUNTRIES OF THE OCCUPIERS HAD TO BECOME RECONCILED TO THE RESOLVE OF THE CZECHS AND SLOVAKS NOT RPT NOT TO RELINQUISH THEIR (?JUST) DEMANDS.

OF COURSE, IT WOULD BE BEST IF ALL NECESSARY MEASURES COULD BE TAKEN TO REMOVE THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE INVASION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

THE FIRST STEP IN THIS DIRECTION SHOULD BE THE IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL OCCUPATION FORCES, BECAUSE IT IS DIFFICULT TO FORESEE THE CONSTITUTIONAL ORGANS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA (WORDS INDISTINCT) BEING ABLE TO FUNCTION NORMALLY AS LONG AS THEY ARE THERE.

IT WOULD BE A TRAGIC MISTAKE IF TROOP WITHDRAWAL WERE TO DEPEND ON THE ASSESSMENT OF THE GOVERNMENTS WHICH SENT THEM THERE, AND NOT RPT NOT ON THE CONSTITUTIONAL ORGANS AND PARTY LEADERSHIP OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THE COMPROMISE IN THE KREMLIN CAN BE ONLY A TEMPORARY AND NOT A LASTING SOLUTION. IF THE FIVE COUNTRIES OF THE WARSAW PACT RETAIN THE RIGHT TO MAKE THE DECISION THEMSELVES CONCERNING WHAT IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS SOCIALIST AND WHAT IS NOT RPT NOT, THEN NOTHING REMAINS OF THEIR COMMITMENT NOT RPT NOT TO INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THIS WOULD AMOUNT TO A POLITICAL AND MILITARY DIKTAT RUNNING COUNTER TO ALL THE VALID NORMS OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AND PRINCIPLES OF MARXISM-LENINISM AND PROLETARIAN INTERNATIONALISM.

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