

ROME, AUG. 29--(RFE SPECIAL/TEMPEST)--- ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER, GIUSEPPE MEDICI, HAS TOLD A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF DEPUTIES THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK CRISIS CANNOT BE CONSIDERED OVER.

"IT WOULD BE TRULY INGENUOUS TO BELIEVE THAT WITH THE COMPROMISE IMPOSED ON SVOBODA AND HIS COMRADES THE CURRENT CRISIS CAN BE CONSIDERED CLOSED AND CIRCUMSCRIBED," HE SAID.

"IT WOULD BE EVEN MORE INGENUOUS TO THINK THAT WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEGINNING WITH THE LONG NIGHT OF AUG. 20 IS ONLY AN UGLY NIGHTMARE, RESOLVED BY THE COMPROMISE OF AUG. 27."

MEDICI WAS ADDRESSING THE ITALIAN LOWER HOUSE GATHERED IN SPECIAL SESSION TO DISCUSS THE CZECHOSLOVAK SITUATION.

HE IS TO ADDRESS THE SENATE LATER THIS MORNING. A GENERAL AGREEMENT ON THE CONDEMNATION OF SOVIET INTERVENTION AND A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IN THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT MINORITY GOVERNMENT IS EXPECTED TOMORROW.

THE GOVERNMENT'S DECISION TO POSTPONE THE SIGNING OF THE NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION TREATY, HOWEVER, MAY RESULT IN CONSIDERABLE OPPOSITION, CERTAINLY FROM THE COMMUNISTS, AND PROBABLY FROM THE SOCIALISTS WHOSE LEADER, PIETRO NENNI, IS SCHEDULED TO GIVE THE SOCIALIST S REPLY. HIS PARTY LAST NIGHT OFFICIALLY AFFIRMED ITS OPPOSITION TO "INDEFINITE" POSTPONEMENT OF THE TREATY SIGNATURE.

POINTING OUT THAT CONDEMNATION OF THE SOVIET INVASION HAD BEEN ALMOST UNIVERSALLY UNANIMOUS, MEDICI SAID IT WAS STILL TOO "PREMATURE TO EXPRESS AN EVALUATION ON WHAT HAS HAPPENED AND ABOVE ALL ON THE PROSPECTS WHICH ARE OPENED FOR THE PEACE OF THE WORLD AND IN PARTICULAR FOR THE FUTURE OF THE COUNTRNNN EE OF OUR COUNTRY.

"THE OBSCURE COMPROMISE REACHED IN MOSCOW ...CONDITIONS OUR FUTURE AND THAT OF THE OTHER COUNTRIES," HE SAID.

ACCUSING THE SOVIET UNION OF VIOLATING INTERNATIONAL LAW AND AGREEMENTS, MEDICI SAID THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT THUS COULD NOT RPT NOT SIGN THE NUCLEAR TREATY AS SCHEDULED ON AUGUST 26 BECAUSE "RESPECT FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW IS A FUNDAMENTAL NORM OF OUR GOVERNMENT."

"IN FACT, IT IS KNOWN," HE SAID, "THAT THE TREATY PROPOSED ALSO BY THE SOVIET UNION ESTABLISHES THAT THE SIGNING COUNTRIES MUST ABSTAIN IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS FROM THE THREAT AND FROM THE USE OF FORCE AGAINST THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND THE POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE OF EVERY STATE.

MEDICI ADDED HOWEVER THAT "DESPITE THE CRISIS OF CONFIDENCE, THE (ITALIAN GOVERNMENT) CONFIRMS THAT IT IS FAVORABLE TO THE SIGNING OF THE TREATY AFTER A PAUSE OF REFLEXION THAT ALLOWS THE NECESSARY CONSULTATIONS WITH FRIENDS AND ALLIED COUNTRIES."

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