

## SMRKOVSKY SPEECH REBROADCAST

MUNICH, AUG 29 (CMD)- THE RADIO ADDRESS BY JOSEF SMRKOVSKY, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (PARLIAMENT) MADE EARLIER TODAY, WAS REBROADCAST TONIGHT BY RADIO AND TELEVISION.

THE CENTRAL BOHEMIAN RADIO REPEATED SMRKOVSKY'S SPEECH AT 1900 MT.

THE CZECHOSLOVAK REGIONAL TELEVISION STATION OSTRAVA (MORAVIA) CARRIED SMRKOVSKY'S SPEECH AT 2115 AND THE CENTRAL BOHEMIAN RADIO SCHEDULED ANOTHER REPETITION FOR 2200.

## TSARAPKIN MET WEST GERMAN LEFTWINGERS ON CSSR

COLOGNE, AUG 29 (DPA/GND)- SOVIET AMBASSADOR TO BONN, SEMJON TSARAPKIN, MET LAST NIGHT WITH LEADING REPRESENTATIVES OF THE WEST GERMAN EXTREME LEFTWING GERMAN PEACE UNION (DFU) AND INFORMED THEM ABOUT THE EVENTS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND THE STANDPOINT OF HIS COUNTRY, A DFU SPOKESMAN SAID HERE TODAY.

THE MEETING TOOK PLACE IN THE SOVIET EMBASSY NEAR BONN AND IT INCLUDED AN EXCHANGE OF OPINIONS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

NO OTHER DETAILS WERE GIVEN BY THE SPOKESMAN.

## ECONOMIC SETBACK SEEN FOR WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES

COLOGNE, AUG 29 (DPA/GND)- THE WEST GERMAN INDUSTRY INSTITUTE IN COLOGNE SAID TODAY THAT THE FULFILLMENT OF THE ECONOMIC PLANS OF ALL THE COUNTRIES INVOLVED IN THE CZECHOSLOVAK CONFLICT WAS ENDANGERED.

THE COLOGNE INSTITUTE, AN EMPLOYERS INSTITUTION, SAID THAT THE HIGHLY BUREAUCRATIC PLANNING SYSTEM WHICH WAS BASED ON A COMPLICATED DIVISION OF LABOR, WAS IN CONFUSION AS WELL ON THE SIDE OF THE OCCUPYING COUNTRIES AS IN THE CSSR, THE INSTITUTE SAID.

THE ECONOMY WILL HAVE TO PAY THE BILL PRESENTED BY THE MILITARY, IT WAS SAID. THE ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES OF THE FIVE WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA WHICH WERE ALREADY NOTICEABLE, COULD EASILY DEVELOP INTO AN ECONOMIC CRISIS OF COMMUNISM, THE INSTITUTE SAID.

IT WOULD BE ESPECIALLY DIFFICULT FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA TO FULFILL HER 1968 PLAN, THE INSTITUTE ADDED.

## FRANTISEK LANGERS WIDOW IN VIENNA

VIENNA, AUG 29 (RFE SPECIAL/KOSTRBA) -- ANNA LANGER, THE WIDOW OF WELL-KNOWN CZECH PLAYWRIGHT FRANTISEK LANGER, ARRIVED IN VIENNA ON THURSDAY TO BE PRESENT AT THE FIRST NIGHT OF LANGERS PLAY "THE OUTSKIRT," TO BE STAGED IN GERMAN ON SEPTEMBER FIRST IN THE VIENNA "VOLKSTHEATER."

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