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X/4 C/S - BELGRADE POLITIKA SAYS TASS USES STALINIST ATTACKS

MUNICH, AUGUST 30 (CMD) -- THE BELGRADE DAILY, POLITIKA, TODAY CHARGED THAT THE ATTACKS BY SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS ON YUGOSLAVIA'S SUPPORT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERSHIP ARE THE SAME AS THOSE USED BY STALIN 20 YEARS AGO.

THE YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG TODAY SAID THAT BELGRADE POLITIKA DEVOTED A SPECIAL COMMENTARY TO THE ATTACKS BY TASS ON YUGOSLAVIA BECAUSE OF ITS SUPPORT "OF THE LEGAL LEADERSHIP OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

"THE DAILY WRITES THAT TASS IN ITS ATTACKS ON YUGOSLAVIA APPLIES MEANS FROM THE SAME ARSENAL AS 20 YEARS AGO, WHEN STALIN ATTACKED YUGOSLAVIA THROUGH THE COMINFORM, QUALIFYING YUGOSLAVIA'S POSITION IN THIS OR THAT WAY WITHOUT PUBLISHING ITS ESSENCE.

"TASS ASSERTS THAT THE LEADERSHIP OF THE LEAGUE OF COMMUNISTS OF YUGOSLAVIA CONTINUES ACTIVELY TO SUPPORT THE REVISIONIST FORCES OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WHICH ALLEGEDLY FIND ALLIES IN REACTION."

TANJUG SAID THAT THE PAPER ADDED THAT "IT IS CLEAR TO EVERYBODY THAT THOSE REVISIONIST FORCES ARE JUST THOSE WITH WHOM THE NEGOTIATIONS IN MOSCOW WERE HELD, AND WHOM THE MILITARY INTERVENTION SHOULD HAVE REMOVED FROM THE RUDDER OF THE STATE AND PARTY."

"THE TASS ASSERTION ABOUT YUGOSLAVIA'S DEVIATION FROM CLASS POSITIONS IS BEST DENIED BY SOCIALIST PRACTICE IN YUGOSLAVIA," SAID POLITIKA. (TANJUG INTERNATIONAL IN ENGLISH AUGUST 30)

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