

X/4 C/S -- FIVE FULL MEMBERS OUT OF NEW PRESIDUM (W/CN 112)

MUNICH, SEPT. 1 (CMD) -- FIVE FULL MEMBERS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S PRE-INVATION 11-MEMBER COMMUNIST PARTY PRESIDUM HAVE BEEN DROPPED FROM THE NEW BODY.

ONE CANDIDATE MEMBER IN THE OLD PRESIDUM - ANTONIN KAPEK-HAS ALSO BEEN DROPPED.

FRANTISEK BARBIREK, ONE OF THE FULL MEMBERS OF THE OLD PRESIDUM, NOW BECOMES AN ALTERNATE MEMBER.

ANOTHER ALTERNATE MEMBER IN THE NEW PRESIDUM IS JOSEF LENART, A CANDIDATE MEMBER OF THE OLD BODY.

THE DROPPED MEMBERS ARE: OLDRICH SVESTKA, EMIL RIGO, FRANTISEK KRIEGL, DRAHOMIR KOLDER AND FRANTISEK BARBIREK.

SIX MEMBERS OF THE PRE-INVATION PRESIDUM REMAIN IN THE NEW ONE - OLDRICH CERNIK, ALEXANDER DUBCEK, VASIL BILAK, JAN PILLER, JOSEF SRMKOVSKY AND JOSEF SPACEK.

CZECHOSLOVAK PRESIDENT LUDVIK SVOBODA BECOMES AN HONORARY MEMBER OF THE NEW PRESIDUM.

CERNIK, DUBCEK, SRMKOVSKY AND SPACEK WERE ALSO MEMBERS OF THE 28-MAN INTERIM PRESIDUM CHOSEN ON AUG 23.

THE 21-MEMBER PRESIDUM'S NEW MEMBERS ARE EVZEN ERBAN, MRS. LIBUSE HRINOVA, JAROMIR HETES, SLOVAK PARTY LEADER GUSTAV HUSAK, VLADIMIR KABRNA, ZDENEK MLYNAR, VACLAV NEUBERT, JOSEF PINKAVA, STEFAN SADOVSKY, VACLAV SLAVIK, VACLAV SIMECEK, BOHUMIL SIMON, ANTON TAZKY AND JOSEF ZRAK.

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