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MUNICH, SEPT 3 (CMD/UPI) - SOVIET OCCUPATION FORCES APPEARED TO HAVE MOVED AWAY FROM CZECH TOWNS AND VILLAGES WITH THE EXCEPTION OF PRAGUE WHERE LARGE NUMBERS OF TROOPS, TANKS AND ARMORED CARS ARE STILL IN EVIDENCE TODAY.

THE AMOUNT OF MILITARY VEHICLES PARKED ON THE STREETS IN PRAGUE HAS BEEN NOTICEABLY REDUCED OVER THE PAST FEW DAYS.

RADIO BRATISLAVA REPORTED THIS MORNING THAT VARIOUS PARTY BODIES IN SLOVAKIA HELD MEETINGS YESTERDAY AT WHICH PARTY MEMBERS WERE INFORMED ABOUT THE CURRENT SITUATION.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY DISTRICT PRESIDUM AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF GOTTWALDOV IN MORAVIA HAS CALLED FOR NON-INTERFERENCE OF FOREIGN TROOPS IN THE COUNTRY'S DOMESTIC AFFAIRS.

THE TWO BODIES HAVE APPEALED TO THE COMMAND OF THE SOVIET TROOPS TO PRESERVE THE PRINCIPLES OF LAST MONTH'S MOSCOW SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIQUE.

THE APPEAL WAS REPORTED BY RADIO BRNO TODAY.

LAST NIGHT THE NORTH MORAVIAN REGIONAL PARTY COMMITTEE DEMANDED FROM THE CZECHOSLOVAK PARTY LEADERSHIP SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION ON THE RECENT SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK TALKS IN MOSCOW.

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