

C/S - 1ST ADD TITO CALLS (CN 143) XXX PEOPLES

(REUTER)- PRESIDENT TITO SAID YUGOSLAVIA BASED ITS ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE CZECHOSLOVAK SITUATION ON THE PRINCIPLE OF RESPECT FOR THE SOVEREIGNTY, INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM OF ALL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES.

"JUST AS SHE WELCOMED THE AGREEMENT OF THE SIX SOCIALIST COUNTRIES IN BRATISLAVA, WHICH RECOGNISES THE RIGHT TO INDEPENDENT ROADS OF SOCIALIST DEVELOPMENT AND CONFIRMS THE PRINCIPLES OF EQUAL COOPERATION AND NON-INTERFERENCE, SO YUGOSLAVIA IS NOW UNABLE TO AGREE TO THE PRESENT STATE OF AFFAIRS....," HE SAID.

THE PRESIDENT SAID IT WAS NOW NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND THEIR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES TO SOLVE THEIR PROBLEMS THEMSELVES AND THAT "ALL POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT SHOULD BE GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS...."

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