

X/4 C/S - CEAUSESCU EXPRESSES CONCERN OVER SOCIALIST RELATIONS

BUCHAREST, SEPTEMBER 5 (CMD)- RUMANIAN PARTY LEADER AND HEAD OF STATE NICOLAE CEAUSESCU TODAY EXPRESSED "CONCERN AND ANXIETY" OVER THE SITUATION THAT HAS "BEEN CREATED IN THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE SOCIULIST COUNTRIES..."

AGERPRES QUOTED CEAUSESCU AS TELLING AN AUDIENCE AT A RUMANIAN TEXTILE FACTORY THAT THIS CONCERN AND ANXIETY WAS ALSO DUE TO THE SHARPENING OF DIVERGENCIES, THE USE FOR THE SOLUTION OF THESE PROBLEMS OF METHODS THAT ARE OF A NATURE TO WORSEN AND AGGRAVATE STILL MORE THESE RELATIONS" BETWEEN SOCIALIST COUNTRIES.

CEAUSESCU WAS ALSO QUOTED AS SAYING THAT RUMANIANS "CONSIDER IT OBLIGATORY FOR ALL COMMUNISTS AND ESPECIALLY THE COMMUNISTS OF THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES...TO DO EVERYTHING IN ORDER TO ENSURE COOPERATION AND UNITY AMONG THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES, OF UNDERTAKING NOTHING THAT MIGHT WORSEN THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THESE COUNTRIES. ONLY BY ACTING ALONG THE LINE OF STRENGTHENING UNITY AND COOPERATION SHALL WE FULFIL BOTH OUR DUTY TO OUR PEOPLE AND TO THE INTERNATIONAL WORKING CLASS, TO THE PEOPLES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

HE ALSO SAID THAT THE MORE RUMANIAN STRENGTHENED SOCIALIST COOPERATION AND COLLABORATION, "THE BETTER SHALL WE ENSURE THE PROGRESS OF EACH SOCIALIST COUNTRY" AS WELL AS THE ADVANCE OF "SOCIALISM ON THE WHOLE" AND SECURE THE "PRESTIGE AND AUTHORITY OF SOCIALISM" TO MAKE IT "MORE AND MORE POWERFUL THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

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