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X/4 C/S -- CISAR SPEAKS ABOUT FEDERATION, DEMOCRATIZATION

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MUNICH, SEPT 6 (CMD) - THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CZECH NATIONAL COUNCIL, CESTMIR CISAR TODAY TOLD A SESSION OF THE SLOVAK NATIONAL COUNCIL IN BRATISLAVA THAT DESPITE THE DIFFICULT SITUATION, THE IDEA OF A FEDERAL ARRANGEMENT IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA WILL BE PURSUED. RADIO BRATISLAVA QUOTED CISAR AS SAYING HIS WORDS WERE NOT RPT NOT POLITICAL POLITENESS, BUT A HOMAGE OF ALL THE CZECH PEOPLE TO THE SLOVAK PEOPLE.

"WE ARE AWARE OF THE DIFFICULTY OF THE SITUATION, BUT EVEN SO, THIS IS NO RPT NO REASON FOR US TO ABANDON THE IDEA OF THE FEDERATIVE ARRANGEMENT OF THE REPUBLIC WHICH IS ONE OF THE MAIN POINTS OF THE ACTION PROGRAM OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA," CISAR SAID.

"THE WILL OF OUR PEOPLES IS COMMON, THE POINT IS THAT THAT OUR CONSTITUTIONAL REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD BE ABLE TO INTERPRET IT IN A WAY IN ORDER NOT RPT NOT TO BE MANIPULATORS BUT REAL SERVANTS OF THE PEOPLE," HE ADDED.

CISAR ALSO SAID - ACCORDING TO RADIO BRATISLAVA - THAT A FEDERAL ARRANGEMENT IS A GUARANTEE OF TRUE EQUALITY, AND IT CREATES ROOM FOR THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF DEMOCRACY, AND OUR ECONOMY..."

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