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(REUTER)- TRYBUNA LUDU SAID

ITALIAN COMMUNISTS

MISTOOK "DECLARATIONS AND PIOUS WISHES" BY CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST CHIEFS FOR REALITY.

BY THEIR UNCONDITIONAL AND UNRESERVED SUPPORT, THE ITALIANS HAD CONFIRMED THE CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERS IN THEIR FAULTY POLICIES AND ENCOURAGED CZECHOSLOVAK PRESS, RADIO AND TELEVISION IN THEIR "MEGALOMANIAC CONVICTION THAT THEY WERE PAVING THE ROAD OF THE FUTURE OF SOCIALISM."

THE ARTICLE CITED EXTRACTS FROM ITALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY STATEMENTS OF AUGUST 21 AND 23 CONDEMNING THE WARSAW PACT INTERVENTION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA BY TROOPS OF THE SOVIET UNION, POLAND, EAST GERMANY, BULGARIA AND HUNGARY. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THESE HAD BEEN PUBLISHED IN A POLISH NEWSPAPER.

"TRYBUNA LUDU" SAID THAT WHILE THE FRENCH, BRITISH AND AUSTRIAN COMMUNIST PARTIES -- WHICH ALSO CRITICISED THE ACTION -- LATER STRESSED THE POSITIVE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE SUBSEQUENT SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK AGREEMENT AT THE END OF AUGUST, THE ITALIAN PARTY STUBBORNLY RENEWED ITS ATTACKS ON THE FIVE STATES WHO SENT TROOPS.

"THEY EVEN GO FURTHER TOWARDS UNDERMINING THE UNITY OF THE INTERNATIONAL FORCES OF SOCIALISM, SPEAKING OUT OPENLY AGAINST A NEW CONFERENCE OF THE WORLD COMMUNIST MOVEMENT" -- SCHEDULED TO BE HELD IN MOSCOW NEXT NOVEMBER.

THE ITALIAN POSITION WAS IN GLARING CONTRADICTION TO THE REALITY OF THE PRESENT WORLD, IN WHICH THE INDEPENDENCE OF EVERY STATE COULD BE CONSIDERED ONLY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE BASIC LINE OF THE DIVISION OF EUROPE AND THE WORLD INTO TWO SYSTEMS, THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

"TRYBUNA LUDU" REITERATED ORTHODOX ARGUMENTS THAT WARSAW PACT INTERVENTION WAS NECESSARY TO PROTECT THE SECURITY AND SOVEREIGNTY OF OTHER EAST EUROPEAN COMMUNIST COUNTRIES AND THE SOCIALIST CAMP.

THE NEWSPAPER ASKED: "IS IT HENCE PERMISSIBLE THAT THE INDISPENSIBLE STEPS UNDERTAKEN IN THE DEFENCE OF THE HISTORIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND DEEP INTERESTS OF SOCIALISM SHOULD BE QUESTIONED BY MARXISTS AND COMMUNISTS?"

THE NEWSPAPER SAID THAT A POLITICAL SOLUTION OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK CRISIS -- WHICH THE ITALIANS ADVOCATED -- HAD BEEN SOUGHT UNAVAILINGLY OVER A PERIOD OF MONTHS IN TALKS WITH THE CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERS AT DRESDEN, MOSCOW, CIERNA NAD TISOU AND BRATISLAVA.

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