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X/4 C/S -- RUDE PRAVO: C/S CAPABLE OF PROTECTING BORDER

MUNICH, SEPT 10 (CMD) -- THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY DAILY RUDE PRAVO SAID TODAY CZECHOSLOVAK TROOPS HAVE PROVED THAT THEY ARE CAPABLE "WITHOUT FOREIGN AID OF GUARDING OUR STATE BORDER AGAINST ANY ACTION FROM THE WEST."

SUMMARIZING THE ARTICLE ENTITLED "ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN BORDER," RADIO BRATISLAVA REPORTED THAT THE PARTY PAPER SAID:

"IF THE STATE BORDER IS BEING GUARDED IN THE SAME WAY AS PRIOR TO AUGUST 21; DUTY ON THE FRONTIERS IS BEING PERFORMED BY OUR SOLDIERS UNDER THE COMMAND OF OUR OFFICERS.

"THE DEFENSE CAPABILITY OF OUR TROOPS ON THE WESTERN BORDER IS REALLY VERY SOLID, AND THIS IS A VERY RESERVED TERM.

"THE OFFICERS AND THE SOLDIERS HAVE SPOKEN WITH PROPER PRIDE ABOUT THE FACT THAT SO FAR THEY ARE PERFORMING THE MISSION ENTRUSTED TO THEM BY THE LEGAL PARTY AND GOVERNMENT ALTOGETHER INDEPENDENTLY AND TOWARD FULL SATISFACTION.

"THUS THEY ARE PROVING THAT THEY ARE CAPABLE, WITHOUT FOREIGN AID, OF GUARDING OUR STATE BORDER AGAINST ANY ACTION FROM THE WEST."

(RADIO BRATISLAVA DOMESTIC/M, SEPT 10, 0600)

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