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WEST GERMAN MINISTER TO BRNO FAIR

WIESBADEN, SEPT 10 (DPA/GND) - THE ECONOMICS MINISTER OF THE WEST GERMAN STATE OF HESSE, RUDI ARNDT (SPD), CONFIRMED TONIGHT THAT HE WOULD LEAVE NEXT FRIDAY FOR A THREE-DAY

VISIT TO THE BRNO FAIR IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

HE SAID THAT HE WAS INVITED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN PRAGUE AND THAT THE BONN GOVERNMENT HAD AGREED TO HIS TRIP.

ARNDT SAID THAT HIS TRIP WAS NOT SUPPOSED TO BE "A POLITICAL DEMONSTRATION" BUT WAS ONLY SERVING ECONOMIC CONTACTS BETWEEN WEST GERMANY AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

ARNDT IS A MEMBER OF THE FRANKFURT-BASED GERMAN-CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIETY AND HAD VISITED THE BRNO FAIR THREE TIMES PREVIOUSLY.

PAVICEVIC MEETS US AMBASSADOR

MUNICH, SEPT 10 (CMD) -- FIRST DEPUTY SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF YUGOSLAVIA MISO PAVICEVIC MET UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR TO BELGRADE BURKE ALBRICK YESTEDAY, RADIO ZAGREB REPORTED TODAY.

THE RADIO SAID ALBRICK WAS RECEIVED AT HIS OWN REQUEST.

THE RADIO GAVE NO DETAILS ON THE TALKS. (RADIO ZAGREB, DOMESTIC/M SEPT 10, 1968, 1500)

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