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SOVIET -CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIQUE TEXT

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(COMMUNIQUE ON SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK TALKS)

(TEXT) MOSCOW--FOLLOWS THE TEXT OF THE COMMUNIQUE ON SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK TALKS WERE HELD IN MOSCOW FROM 23 TO 26 AUGUST WITH THE PARTICIPATION:

FROM THE SOVIET SIDE--L.I. BREZHNEV, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE; A.N. KOSYGIN , CHAIRMAN OF THE USSR COUNCIL OF MINISTERS AND MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE ; N.V. PODGORNYY, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE USSR SUPREME SOVIET AND MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE ; G.I. VORONOV , MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION; A .P . KIRILENKO, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE; D.S . POLYANSKIY, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND FIRST DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE USSR COUNCIL OF MINISTERS ; M.A . SUSLOV , MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE; A .N. SHELEPIN, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND CHAIRMAN OF THE AUCCTU; P.YE. SHELEST, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND FIRST SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE UKRAINIAN COMMUNIST PARTY; K .F. KATUSHEV, SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE; DEFENSE MINISTER OF THE USSR A.A. GRECHKO, AND FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE USSR A .A. GROMYKO.

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X X X A. A . GROMYKO;

(TEXT) FROM THE CZECHOSLOVAK SIDE--L. SVOBODA, PRESIDENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC; A. DUBCEK , FIRST SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; J . SMRKOVSKY , PRESIDENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK NATIONAL SSEMBLY AND MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; O. CERNIK , CHAIRMAN OF THE GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; V. BILAK, MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY AND FIRST SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; F . BARBIREK, MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY AND VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SLOVAK NATIONAL COUNCIL; J. PILLER, MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; E. RIGO, MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; J. SPACEK, MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; O. SVESTKA, MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; M . JAKES, CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL CONTROL AND AUDITING COMMISSION OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY ; J. LENART, CANDIDATE MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; B . SIMON, CANDIDATE MEMBER OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY ; G. HUSAK, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA; A. INDRA, SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY; Z . MLYNAR, SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY ; COL GEN M. DZUR, MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE ; B. KUCERA, MINISTER OF JUSTICE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA; AND V. KOUCKY, CZECHOSLOVAK AMBASSADOR TO THE USSR.

DURING THE TALKS , IN A FREE , COMRADELY DISCUSSION, THE TWO SIDES CONSIDERED QUESTIONS RELATING TO THE PRESENT DEVELOPMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION , THE ACTIVIZATION OF IMPERIALISM'S MACHINATIONS AGAINST THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES, THE SITUATION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN THE RECENT PERIOD, AND THE TEMPORARY ENTRY OF TROOPS OF THE FIVE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES INTO CZECHOSLOVAK TERRITORY.

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SECOND ADD 63 (SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIQUE TEXT)

X X X INTO CZECHOSLOVAK TERRITORY.

(TEXT) THE SIDES EXPRESSED THEIR MUTUAL FIRM BELIEF THAT THE MAIN THING IN THE PRESENT SITUATION IS TO CARRY OUT THE MUTUAL DECISIONS ADOPTED IN CIERNA NAD TISOU AND THE PROVISIONS AND PRINCIPLES FORMULATED BY THE BRATISLAVA CONFERENCE, AS WELL AS TO IMPLEMENT CONSISTENTLY THE PRACTICAL STEPS FOLLOWING FROM THE AGREEMENT REACHED DURING THE TALKS.

THE SOVIET SIDE STATED ITS UNDERSTANDING OF AND SUPPORT FOR THE POSITION OF THE LEADERSHIP OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY AND THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC, WHICH INTENDS TO PROCEED FROM THE DECISIONS PASSED BY THE JANUARY AND MAY PLENARY MEETINGS OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY WITH A VIEW TO IMPROVING THE METHODS OF GUIDING SOCIETY, DEVELOPING SOCIALIST DEMOCRACY, AND STRENGTHENING THE SOCIALIST SYSTEM ON THE BASIS OF MARXISM-LENINISM.

AGREEMENT WAS REACHED ON MEASURES AIMED AT THE SPEEDIEST NORMALIZATION OF THE SITUATION IN THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC . CZECHOSLOVAK LEADERS INFORMED THE SOVIET SIDE ON THE PLANNED IMMEDIATE MEASURES THEY ARE CARRYING OUT WITH THESE AIMS IN VIEW .

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THIRD ADD 63 (SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIQUE TEXT)

X X X AIMS IN VIEW.

(TEXT) IT WAS STATED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK SIDE THAT ALL THE WORK OF PARTY AND STATE BODIES THROUGH ALL MEDIA WOULD BE DIRECTED AT INSURING EFFECTIVE MEASURES SERVING THE SOCIALIST POWER , THE GUIDING ROLE OF THE WORKING CLASS AND THE COMMUNIST PARTY, THE INTERESTS OF DEVLOPING AND STRENGTHENING FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH THE PEOPLES OF THE SOVIET UNION AND THE ENTIRE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY .

EXPRESSING THE UNANIMOUS STRIVING OF THE PEOPLES OF THE USSR FOR FRIENDSHIP AND BROTHERHOOD WITH THE PEOPLES OF SOCIALIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA, THE SOVIET LEADERS CONFIRMED THEIR READINESS FOR THE BROADEST SINCERE COOPERATION ON THE BASIS OF MUTUAL RESPECT , EQUALITY, TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, INDEPENDENCE , AND SOCIALIST SOLIDARITY.

THE TROOPS OF THE ALLIED COUNTRIES THAT ENTERED TEMPORARILY THE TERRITORY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA WILL NOT INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC. AGREEMENT WAS REACHED ON THE TERMS OF THE WITHDRAWAL OF THESE TROOPS FROM ITS TERRITORY AS THE SITUATION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA NORMALIZES.

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FOURTH ADD 63 (SOVIET-CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIQUE TEXT)

X X X IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA NORMALIZES.

(TEXT) THE CZECHOSLOVAK SIDE INFORMED THE SOVIET SIDE THAT THE SUPREME COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF T OBKJIWAQPICAK ARMED FORCES HAD GIVEN THE LATTER APPROPRIATE ORDERS WITH THE AIM OF PREVENTING INCIDENTS AND CONFLICTS CAPABLE OF VIOLATING THE PEACE AND PUBLIC ORDER. HE HAD ALSO INSTRUCTED THE MILITARY COMMAND OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC TO BE IN CONTACT WITH THE COMMAND OF THE ALLIED TROOPS.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE DISCUSSION IN THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE SO -CALLED QUESTION ON THE SITUATION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC STATED THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK SIDE HAD NOT REQUESTED THE SUBMISSION OF THIS QUESTION FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND DEMANDED ITS REMOVAL FROM THE AGENDA.

THE LEADERS OF THE CPSU AND THE LEADERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA CONFIRMED THEIR DETERMINATION TO UNSWERVINGLY PROMOTE IN THE INTERNATIONAL ARENA A POLICY MEETING THE INTERESTS OF STRENGTHENING THE SOLIDARITY OF THE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY, UPHOLDING THE CAUSE OF PEACE AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY .

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FIFTH AND LAST ADD 63 (SOVIET -CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIQUE TEXT)

X X X AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY.

(TEXT) AS BEFORE, THE SOVIET UNION AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA WILL ADMINISTER A RESOLUTE REBUFF TO MILITARISTIC , REVANCHIST, AND NEO-NAZI FORCES THAT WANT TO REVISE THE RESULTS OF WORLD WAR II, TO ENCROACH ON THE INVIOLABILITY OF THE EXISTING BORDERS IN EUROPE. THEY CONFIRMED AGAIN THE DETERMINATION TO FULFILL UNSWERVINGLY ALL COMMITMENTS UNDERTAKEN BY THEM UNDER MULTILATERAL AND BILATERAL AGREEMENTS CONCLUDED BETWEEN SOCIALIST STATE S, TO STRENGTHEN THE DEFENSIVE MIGHT OF THE SOCIALIST COMMUNITY, AND TO RAISE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE DEFENSIVE WARSAW TREATY ORGANIZATION.

THE TALKS PASSED IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF FRANKNESS, COMRADESHIP , AND FRIENDSHIP.

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