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TO: DURKEE INFO YARROW HOVEY DUNNING KAUFMANN REYMAN
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NOWAK PECHACEK/BELLUS ZAHARIEFF

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RFE DAILY REPORT NO. 175

1. BULGARIA: NOTHING.

2. CZECHOSLOVAKIA: THE SVESTKA ARTICLE IN RUDE PRAVO (DS) IS OF INTEREST FOR ITS FRANK ADMISSION OF A CONTINUING "UNITED FRONT" OF RESISTANCE ON THE PART OF THE "RIGHT WING".

3. HUNGARY: RADIO BUDAPEST REPORTED YESTERDAY KADAR'S RETURN TO BUDAPEST FROM THE USSR. IT ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT A JOINT CENTRAL COMMITTEE-GOVERNMENT SESSION WOULD BE HELD TODAY WITH AN AGENDA INCLUDING "THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION" AND TOPICAL ECONOMIC PROBLEMS. SUCH JOINT MEETINGS ARE ACTUALLY NOTHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY, BUT IT WILL BE PARTICULARLY INTERESTING THIS TIME TO SEE WHETHER IT WILL THROW ANY FURTHER LIGHT ON THE CRIMEAN MEETING.

4. POLAND: NOTHING.

5. RUMANIA: RUMANIAN MEDIA HAVE STILL NOT SAID A WORD ABOUT THE CRIMEAN MEETING. NOTE DATCOU'S REITERATION AT THE GENEVA DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE OF THE RUMANIAN CALL FOR A BAN ON ALL MILITARY MANEUVERS ON FOREIGN SOIL (THE AGERPRES SUMMARY OF HIS SPEECH DID NOT MENTION THIS SPECIFIC POINT).

6. OTHER: WESTERN SPECULATION ON THE SUMMIT MEETING IN THE CRIMEA HAS PRESENTED VIRTUALLY NO PROBLEMS SO FAR. ALMOST ALL OBSERVERS IDENTIFY CHINA AS THE MAJOR POINT OF DISCUSSION AND RELATE CEAUSESCU'S ABSENCE TO THIS. A FIRST RADIO WARSAW COMMENTARY (DS) AND A TANJUG ITEM DO LIKEWISE.

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PRESS COMMENTARIES ON THE NEW US POSITION RE CHINA'S ADMISSION TO THE UN CONTINUE TO ARRIVE IN GREAT NUMBERS. THE NEWEST ELEMENT IN THE LATEST PRESS ARTICLES IS EMPHASIS ON LEGAL DIFFICULTIES THE UN WILL INEVITABLY ENCOUNTER IN TRYING TO TRANSFER THE SECURITY COUNCIL SEAT NOW HELD BY THE ROC TO THE PEKING REGIME. IN OUR OWN COVERAGE WE ARE REFRAINING FROM SPECULATIONS AS TO WHETHER THE CHINESE ARE NOW READY TO ACCEPT A "TWO CHINAS" SOLUTION. AT THE SAME TIME WE WILL TRY TO AVOID GIVING TOO MUCH PUBLICITY TO ARTICLES WHICH STRESS THE COMPLETE INFLEXIBILITY OF PEKING'S STAND ON UN ADMISSION OR AMERICAN RECOGNITION. IN FACT THE CHINESE APPEAR TO BE QUITE FLEXIBLE -- AND SOMETIMES DOWNRIGHT CONTRADICTORY -- IN THEIR FORMULATIONS AND, AS A NYT ARTICLE POINTED OUT THIS MORNING, PEKING HAS LATELY BEEN GIVING PUBLICITY TO A MAO QUOTATION WHICH EMPHASIZES THE ADMISSIBILITY OF MAKING COMPROMISES IN THE INTEREST OF PROMOTING PEACE.

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