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ADDENDUM TO RFE DAILY REPORT NO. 275

3. HUNGARY: IN DRS NO. 269 AND 270 OF NOVEMBER 24 AND 25, WE SPECULATED ON KADAR'S PRECONDITIONS FOR TALKS OR NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN BUDAPEST AND BONN. OUR REMARKS WERE BASED ON ERRONEOUS INTERPRETATION OF MONITORING OF RADIO BUDAPEST. THE FULL TEXT OF KADAR'S SPEECH SHOWS THAT HE MAKES NO RPT NO PRECONDITIONS WHATSOEVER FOR TALKS OR NEGOTIATIONS WITH BONN. THE PROBLEMS HE RAISES ARE RATHER THE CONDITIONS NECESSARY FOR "THE COMPLETE SETTLEMENT OF (BONN'S) INTERSTATE RELATIONS WITH THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES." FULL TEXT OF KADAR'S REMARKS ON RELATIONS WITH BONN FOLLOW:

A MOVE CLOSER TO REALITIES CAN BE SEEN IN THE POLICY OF THE FRG GOVERNMENT WHICH COULD HELP TOWARD THE NORMALIZATION OF EUROPEAN CONDITIONS. WE CAN WELCOME AS A MOVE TO EUROPE'S ADVANTAGE THE USSR-FRG TREATY AND LIKEWISE, THE TREATY INITIALED A FEW DAYS AGO BY THE POLISH PEOPLES REPUBLIC AND THE FRG, STILL PENDING. THE FRG HAS YET TO RATIFY THE TREATIES WITH THE USSR AND POLAND AND HAS TO REACH AGREEMENT IN THE KNOWN SPECIFIC ISSUES WITH THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC. LAST BUT NOT LEAST, THE FRG, ON THE BASIS OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, MUST FIND SUITABLE FORMS OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE WITH THE INDEPENDENT AND SOVEREIGN GDR. IF THE BRANDT-SCHEEL GOVERNMENT STANDS UP AGAINST THE REACTIONARY, CHAUVINIST FORCES IN ITS OWN COUNTRY AND DISPLAYS THE REQUISITE POLITICAL CONSTANCY TO CARRY ON WITH THE INITIATIVE TO SETTLE RELATIONS -- VERY MUCH IN LINE WITH THE VITAL INTERESTS OF THE INHABITANTS OF WEST GERMANY -- THERE WILL BE NO OBSTACLE IN THE WAY OF THE COMPLETE SETTLEMENT OF INTERSTATE RELATIONS WITH THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES.

IN PRINCIPLE, THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLES REPUBLIC, ALSO WITH REGARD TO THE FRG, HAS ALWAYS FAVORED NORMALIZATION OF INTERSTATE RELATIONS; AND ITS DISPOSITION IS STILL THE SAME. IN THE COURSE OF YEARS WE HAVE DEVELOPED MUTUALLY ADVANTAGEOUS, WIDE-RANGING ECONOMIC RELATIONS, RECENTLY WE CONCLUDED A LONG-TERM TRADE AGREEMENT. OFFICIAL TRADE MISSIONS HAVE BEEN SET UP IN BOTH COUNTRIES. ONCE THE SITUATION BECOMES RIPE, WE ARE READY TO BUILD UP OUR RELATIONS WITH THE FRG STILL FURTHER, ULTIMATELY TO THE SETTLEMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS. THIS IS BOUND UP WITH THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLES REPUBLIC'S INTENTION THROUGH BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL RELATIONS TO CONTINUE TO PLAY ITS PART IN EFFORTS DESIGNED TO BRING ABOUT EUROPEAN PEACE AND SECURITY.

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