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AMEMBASSY OSLO  
AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

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SUBJ: ICELANDIC LABOR REACTION TO CZECHOSLOVAK INVASION

REF: STATE 226894

THUS FAR ONLY TRADE UNION WHICH HAS COME OUT WITH CONDEMNATION  
INVASION CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS BEEN SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC-INDEPENDENCE  
PARTY LED SEAMENS UNION OF REYKJAVIK. ACCORDING TO AUGUST 24  
SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER ALTHYDUBLADID UNION BOARD AND  
REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL AUGUST 22 PASSED RESOLUTION WHICH:  
CONDEMNED INVASION, AFFIRMED SELF DETERMINATION NATIONS, EXTENDED  
SYMPATHY TO CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE AND URGED ALL LIBERTY-LOVING  
NATIONS TO DO ALL IN THEIR POWER TO RETURN FREEDOM TO  
CZECHOSLOVAKIA.  
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