

## **October 28, 1956**

### **Andropov Report, 28 October 1956**

#### **Citation:**

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#### **Summary:**

Yuri Andropov forwards this letter from Hungarian Prime Minister Andras Hegedus to the Council of Ministers of the Soviet Socialist Republics. The letter requests Soviet troops to quell the riots in Budapest.

#### **Original Language:**

Russian

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Translation - English

Budapest, October 28, 1956 In code Top Secret Not to be copied Sent from Budapest  
Urgent I hereby forward a letter from the Hungarian Government to: "The Council of  
Ministers of the Soviet Socialist Republics Moscow On behalf of the Council of Ministers  
of the People's Republic of Hungary I appeal to the Government of the Soviet Union to  
send Soviet troops in order to put an end to the riots that have broken out in  
Budapest, to restore order as soon as possible, and to guarantee the conditions for  
peaceful and creative work. 24 October 1956 Budapest Prime Minister of the People's  
Republic of Hungary Andras Hegedus" 28.X.56 [28 October 1956] Andropov