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**GDR Ambassador Pyongyang to Ministry for Foreign
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Summary:

Excerpt from East German ambassador's message about the declining display of slogans and portraits of Kim Jong Il in North Korea.

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Currently we have the impression that there is less frequent mentioning of the "party center" than recently. At locations accessible to foreigners there is no more display of Kim Jong Il slogans. The number of portraits also receded.