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Summary:

Stanislav Kohousek compliments Khrushchev's speech at the 15th UN General Assembly session. He also reports on a request from DPRK government to Czechoslovakia for extending its credits.

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A reception was held in the evening at the Military Attaché of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic, Josif Spirit [sic] on the occasion of the formation of the Czechoslovak National Army. The Military Attaché and DPRK Deputy Minister of National Defense Choe Young-jin [sic] gave speeches. Both said not a work about the work of the Soviet delegation and the delegations of the other socialist countries at the 15th UN General Assembly session.

In a conversation ChSR Ambassador Stanislav Kohousek spoke very highly and cordially about Cde. N. S. Khrushchev's speech at the 15th UN General Assembly session. He also reported that the DPRK Ambassador in Prague visited Premier Cde. Siroky and passed a request from the DPRK government for Czechoslovakia to extend the DPRK credits. The amount of the credits is being specified.

Albanian Ambassador Petro Gedeshi, who did not express his attitude to Cde. N. S. Khrushchev's speech at the General Assembly session, was next [to us] during the conversation (Gedeshi understands Russian, but speaks it badly).

[...]

SOVIET AMBASSADOR IN THE DPRK [signature] (A. Puzanov)

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