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Bush rewards Czechoslovakia for purging communist rule

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush gave investment and trade rewards to Czechoslovakia Tuesday for overthrowing communist rule but told President Vaclav Havel the United States wouldn't retreat from a precautionary "strong military presence" in Europe.

Bush gave a warm welcome to the first of Eastern Europe's new reform leaders to visit the White House. He called Havel, a one-time dissident playwright who went from prison to the presidency in a year's time, "a man of tremendous moral courage, one of the heroes of the revolution of '89."

The two leaders talked for 2½ hours, in the Oval office and over lunch.

Afterward, Havel said the talks had been "very warm, very open, very friendly," and he invited Bush to visit Prague.

Bush announced a waiver of the Jackson-Vanik amendment that restricts trade relations with communist nations that inhibit Jewish emigration.

The waiver clears the way for negotiation of a trade agreement and the eventual award of most-favored-nation trading status, which would provide Czechoslovakia with the most liberal access possible to American markets. In return, the Czechoslovak Parliament would have to enact a law ending the former communist government's restrictive emigration policies.

Bush also authorized the Export-Import Bank to operate in Prague and said he would support reamission of Czechoslovakia to the International Monetary Fund and World Bank. Bush authorized sending Peace Corps volunteers to Czechoslovakia by autumn to teach English.

Regarding military forces, Havel has asked the Soviet Union to withdraw the 75,000 Soviet troops in Czechoslovakia. Some Czechoslovak leaders have called for eventual dissolution of NATO, along with the Warsaw

Pact, the Soviet-led alliance to which Czechoslovakia belongs.

In his public comments, Bush said, "I know I can speak for all Western leaders when I say that the Atlantic Alliance will continue to play a vital role in assuring stability and security in Europe at this great and historic moment."

"And America will continue to play its part, including a strong military presence for our security and for Europe's," said Bush, who has proposed that the United States and Soviet Union reduce their troops in Central Europe to 195,000 on each side.

Bush, in the private discussions, talked at length about a need for U.S. troops in Europe and portrayed NATO as a stabilizing factor at a time of great transition, said Assistant Secretary of State Raymond Seitz.

Seitz quoted Havel as saying, "There is no doubt about the stabilizing role of NATO and the United States." And he said the Czechoslovak president agreed on a need for NATO and U.S. forces until "new security structures emerge in Europe."

Bush said NATO perhaps should have a broader role than at present, Seitz said.

Moreover, the official said Bush told Havel "he did not envisage the U.S. presence going on forever and ever and ever. ... It was contingent on the U.S. presence being centrally welcomed in Europe and that if the United States were no longer welcomed in Europe, the U.S. forces would come home, forthwith, right away, last one out, turn out the lights."

Havel told Bush he expects Soviet troops to be withdrawn from his country "on a pretty prompt timetable."

Discussing the turmoil in the Soviet Union, Havel told Bush "it was important that the Soviet Union not experience ... political earthquakes."

Cuba receives fighter planes from USSR

WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department said Tuesday that Cuba has received a shipment of high-performance Soviet fighter planes and that the United States "simply cannot tolerate" such developments.

Under questioning, department spokeswoman Margaret Tutwiler denied that the statement constituted a threat to Cuba. She referred reporters to a recent testimony before a Senate legislative committee by Secretary of State James A. Baker III in which he said Cuba posed a threat to the United States.

In confirming a delivery of new MiG-29 jet fighters, Tutwiler

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gave no figure. The Washington Times, which reported the shipment in Tuesday's editions, put the number at six.

The report said the combined total of MiGs in Cuba's arsenal has now risen to more than 300, most of them older models.

Tutwiler noted Baker had told the Soviet legislators during his visit to Moscow two weeks ago that the United States has difficulty understanding why the Kremlin continues to send MiG-29s to Cuba, particularly at a time when Cuba has been so critical of Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev's reform policies.

Tutwiler also quoted Baker as saying, "Cuba is actively supporting the insurgency in El Salvador and it is these kind of activities close to the shores of the United States that we simply cannot tolerate."

Initially, Tutwiler dismissed a "hypothetical" question as to whether the statement was meant as a threat to Cuba. She later said no threat had been intended.

Tutwiler also attached little significance to the internal reforms announced recently by the Cuban Communist Party.

She said the reforms appeared aimed at consolidating the strength of Cuba's one-party system.

The announcement, Tutwiler added, "distances Cuba from the current wave of reform sweeping Eastern Europe by rejecting an attempt to duplicate foreign models, permit democratic processes or allow a multi-party system."

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on the work of the business world.

"Japan has outstripped us with our own technology," he said. "The United States has been too busy with corporate raidings, making money. We have deteriorated and lost our standing."

Halbouty said that it is also the business industry that has led to the country's recent educational decline.

"Corporations are reducing the country's brainpower by hiring people without even a high school education," he said. "Our educational deterioration began when big business lost its principles."

"The way we conduct our business affects every other aspect of our society, especially education."

After reading the October 1989 issue of Newsweek, Halbouty said, he was shocked with the results in a poll of the country's high school seniors. More than 50 percent of those polled said they would risk facing a jail sentence if they could make ten million dollars illegally in the stock market.

"The lack of ethics among these students is terrifying," he said.

In his presentation, Halbouty urged people not to confuse their greed with ambition.

Halbouty was appointed by President Reagan as leader of the Transition Team on Energy. He has served on many governmental energy-related committees and commissions.

In March he will become the first non-Soviet to be awarded with an honorary degree of Doctor of Geosciences from the Soviet Union's Academy of Sciences.

However immoral the business world has become, Halbouty said, it will return eventually to its original values.

"The '80s were a devastating decade for industry," he said. "But as one who believes in Americans, I feel that we will see light at the end of the tunnel that has enveloped us. Our morals will come back."

'Drug bugs' present alternative weapon to help fight cocaine

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Bush administration is pushing research into a possible new combatant in the war against cocaine — a caterpillar with a taste for coca leaves — but officials said Tuesday that the insects won't be deployed in South America unless local governments approve.

"We are not undertaking any biological war," said Marlin Fitzwater, President Bush's spokesman. "Neither troops nor caterpillars will go in without prior request and consultation."

Peruvian and Bolivian growers supply the vast majority of the world's coca leaves, the raw material for cocaine.

The embassies of Peru and Bolivia did not respond to several requests for comment on the proposal first reported by the Washington Post in Tuesday's editions.

The administration's drug budget proposal for the Agricultural Research Service for fiscal 1991, starting Oct. 1, is \$6.5 million, a \$5 million increase over the money to be spent this year.

The principal focus of that research is the malumbia, a white moth that eats coca plant leaves when it is still in its caterpillar stages, officials said.

"This is quite a voracious caterpillar," Waldemar Klassen, associate deputy administrator for the ARS, told the Post. "If we could put them down there in sufficient numbers, we could then defoliate the plants."

Both Fitzwater and Don Hamilton, a spokesman for national drug control policy director William Bennett, emphasized that the insect re-

search program is in the experimental stage.

"The Department of Agriculture is studying not just coca but other drug plants as well to learn as much about them as possible," Fitzwater said. "This research includes study of herbicide and natural enemies of these plants ... this program is experimental. Absolutely no potential tool will be considered for use until it is proven to be safe and effective."

Fitzwater said the subject of biological war against drug crops was not broached at last week's drug summit in Colombia.

Environmental activists were divided over the proposal.

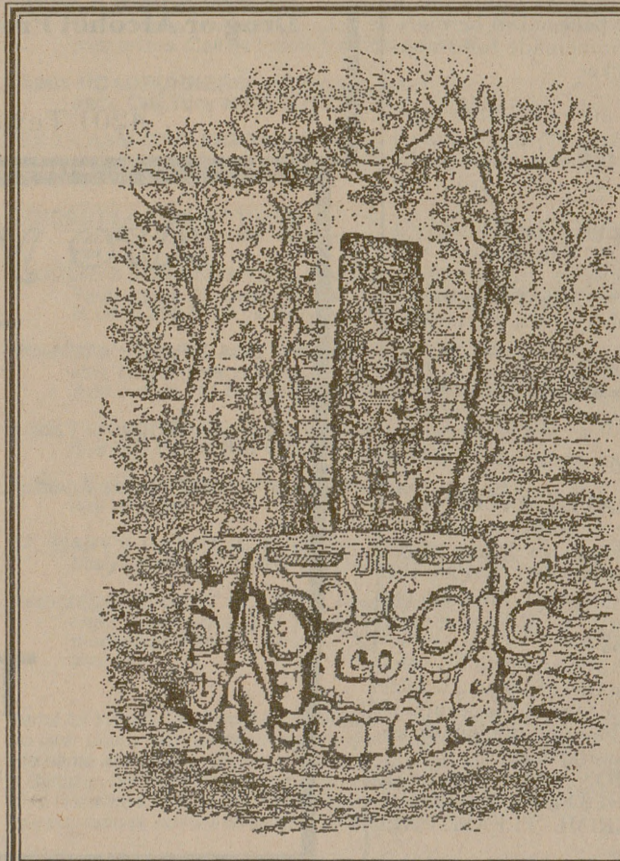
Maureen Hinkle, the National Audubon Society's director of agricultural policy, said, "I think that it's an approach that bears exploring."

"Biological controls, when they work, work like a ballet," Hinkle said. "The only problem is they need to make sure that the selectivity of the caterpillars is for the coca plants and not to other crops."

But Sandra Marquardt, pesticide information coordinator for Greenpeace U.S.A., said the "drug bug" idea "might be a proposal that needs to be nipped in the bud."

"It's an expensive proposition and probably won't work the way USDA wants it to work," Marquardt said. "The reason is that USDA wants to use an insect and the coca growers have insecticide, so they will just use insecticide to kill USDA's insect."

Coca growing and processing already are "extremely destructive" to the environment because of the insecticides and the harsh chemicals employed, Marquardt said.



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