

**PROTOCOL “A” No. 108**

Of the meeting of the Politburo  
of the Central Committee of the Bulgarian Communist Party

11 July 1988

With the participation of the Comrades:

Todor Zhivkov, Georgi Atanasov, Grisha Filipov, Dobri Dzhurov, Yordan Yotov, Milko Balev, Ognian Doinov, Pencho Kubadinski, Petar Mladenov, Stanko Todorov, Chudomir Alexandrov, Andrei Lukanov, Georgi Yordanov, Grigor Stoichkov, Dimitar Stoyanov, Petar Dyulgerov, Stoyan Markov, Dimitar Stanishev, and Emil Hristov

**AGENDA:**

1. Information from the Soviet leadership about a proposal of the Central Committee of the Romanian Communist Party regarding potential changes in the management of the Warsaw Treaty Organization's executive bodies.

**RESOLUTION:**

The Politburo of the Central Committee of the Bulgarian Communist Party agreed with the considerations and preliminary conclusions that were presented in the Soviet leadership's letter regarding the essence of the proposals made by the Central Committee of the Romanian Communist Party for eventual changes in the management of the Warsaw Treaty Organization's executive bodies.

If the Romanian side presents its proposals at the forthcoming session of the Warsaw Treaty's Political Consultative Committee, [the Bulgarian delegation] must present a stance that these proposals must be discussed by the ministers of foreign affairs and [ministers of] defense of the Warsaw Treaty member-states. Only after such a discussion should the [Romanian] proposals be considered by the Political Consultative Committee.

Signed: (Todor Zhivkov)

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