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PRAAGUE (UPI)- Soviet Premier Alexei Kosygin arrived here today for his three-day visit to Czechoslovakia. Kosygin was welcomed by Czechoslovak leaders in Prague prior to their meeting.

The meeting was expected to be a significant one as both countries are facing difficult economic and political problems. Soviet and Czechoslovak officials have been discussing ways to strengthen their bilateral relationship and to address the challenges they face.

The visit is likely to focus on economic cooperation, trade, and the exchange of ideas. The two leaders are expected to discuss ways to improve diplomatic relations and to strengthen mutual understanding.

The meeting comes at a time when both countries are facing significant challenges. The Czech Republic is dealing with economic reforms and political transitions, while the Soviet Union is trying to maintain its influence in Eastern Europe.

The visit is also expected to provide an opportunity for the two leaders to address the concerns of their citizens and to work towards a more stable and prosperous future for both countries.

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