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CRNOGORSKO-SOVJETSKA SARADNJA TOKOM 70-IH I POČETKOM 80-IH

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ABSTRACT:

The paper highlights the strategic approach of of Soviet policy toward Yugoslavia during the final decade of the leadership of Soviet leader Brezhnev and Yugoslav president Tito. The Soviet objective was to reintegrate Yugoslavia into the communist bloc to utilize its Adriatic coast for constructing military and naval bases, from which it could safeguard its strategic interests in the Mediterranean, North Africa, and the Middle East. Within this framework, the relations between the Soviet Union and its republics with the Yugoslav

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republics played a significant role. Montenegro, as one of the Yugoslav republics, developed intensive cooperation with the Soviet Union, particularly with the Russian Soviet republic. The Soviets designated Montenegro as part of their sphere of influence and sought to transform it into a strategic stronghold within Yugoslavia.

KEY WORDS:

Soviet Union; Yugoslavia; Montenegro; Tito; Brezhnev.

SAŽETAK:

U radu je ukazano na strategiju sovjetske politike prema Jugoslaviji tokom posljednje decenije vladavine sovjetskog lidera Brežnjeva i jugoslovenskog predsjednika Tita. Sovjetski cilj je bio da Jugoslaviju vrati u komunistički blok (lager) kako bi njenu jadransku obalu iskoristio za gradnju vojnih i pomorskih baza iz kojih bi kontrolisao svoje interese na Sredozemlju, Sjevernoj Africi i Bliskom istoku. U sklopu te politike bili su i odnosi Sovjetskog Saveza, odnosno njegovih republika, sa jugoslovenskim republikama. Crna Gora, kao jedna od jugoslovenskih republika, uspostavila je u ovome periodu intenzivnu saradnju sa Sovjetskim Savezom, a naročito sa sovjetskom republikom Rusijom. Sovjeti su Crnu Goru označili za svoju interesnu zonu i htjeli su da od nje stvore strateško uporište u Jugoslaviji.

KLJUČE RIJEČI:

Sovjetski Savez; Jugoslavija; Crna Gora; Tito; Brežnjev.