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27.4.2009 - CEI inspectors checked consignment at the post office warehouse in Prague and seized 378 specimens of *Mammillaria spp.* and *Gymnocalycium spp.* (Cactaceae, CITES II/B). These seedlings were to be used as key pendants. Specimens were imported by advertisement company from China, also other non-CITES plants were included in this consignment. Consignee will be fined. Number of illegal imports of live plants via postal services is growing, we recommend paying attention to such shipments.

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