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Tourist travelled to Prague with African Grey Parrot

6.4.2011 – Customs officers at the Prague airport contacted the CEI inspectors, the subject of consultation was the importation of African Grey Parrot (*Psittacus erithacus*, II/B) into the Czech Republic by the Kuwaiti citizen. He visited the Czech Republic for the purpose of tourism. The importer presented to the CEI inspector only export permit, but no import permit was issued at the time of the import (neither any pet passport was presented). The importer has been asked to apply the Management Authority for the import permit retrospectively. The specimen is seized (left in the care of its holder) until the issue of the import permit. The importer will be fined by CEI.

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