

CITES news - Prague airport



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2 Czech hunters were coming back from a hunting trip to Russia on 2nd September 2006. Despite the fact their travel agent was informed in advance that they can not bring bear trophies without permits, they declared at Prague Airport that they were bringing bear skulls (*Ursus arctos*, A/II). Rugs were left in Moscow for elaboration of CITES export and import permits. Men declared that Russian customs told them that skulls could be exported without permits, which are necessary for skins only. At the time of import, no permits were provided for skulls. Skulls were confiscated.

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