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## **Peru: On Trade Agreements With China & East Germany**

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On July 8, Energy and Mines Minister Abel Salinas announced that under the terms of a new trade agreement, Peru will export \$600 million worth of minerals to China during the next three years. Exports include copper, iron, and zinc, among other mineral products. Under a trade agreement completed on June 14 with the German Democratic Republic, Peru is to export \$12 million worth of goods to that country, including cotton and wool textiles, coffee, fisheries products, and running shoes. Lima plans to import medical equipment from the eastern bloc country valued at a total \$5 million, and is to receive a total \$15 million credit line. (Basic data from Prensa Latina, 07/08/88)

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