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On March 31, the government of Nayarit state and the Thailand-based fisheries development company C.P. Acuaculture formalized a partnership to construct a shrimp farming facility in a region of the state known as Salinas- Los Otates. The 500-acre breeding farm will eventually export 360,000 metric tons of shrimp per year. According to the government news agency Notimex, Nayarit authorities hope to eventually bring the state's fishing cooperatives and Mexican private businesses into the enterprise. As part of the project, the Thai partner will build a training facility and research center where employees will be taught modern breeding techniques. (Source: Notimex, 03/31/93)

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