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The Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) and the Spanish government's Sociedad Quinto Centenario have approved \$500 million for a railway construction project aimed at establishing links among four railway lines in seven Latin American countries. The "Los Libertadores" program marks the IDB's first experience in financing railway transport infrastructure. Six of the nations involved are Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay, Peru and Uruguay. (Basic data from EFE, 07/31/91)

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