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Looks back to key findings of Peru's Ombudsman enquiry (1997 to 2002) into sterilization of Indigenous women. This official policy, according to data released by the Health Ministry in 2002, involved tubal-ligation operations on 260.874 women between 1996 and 2000.

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