



**American Made, American Inspired Cured Meats®**

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To: Our Customers

Subject: La Quercia Dry Cured Meats

We make our cured meats in a USDA inspected facility, and our USDA reviewed HACCP plan states that these products are “shelf stable, not heat treated.” We hold the meat at temperatures comparable to room temperature for months before sending them to you, and therefore see no problem for them to be continued to be held at room temperature. In some cases we recommend holding in refrigeration to best preserve quality.

Please feel free to contact us should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

*H.S. Eckhouse*

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Owner