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To Whom It May Concern,

Heinrich Oak Alternatives is a producer and marketer of premium oak alternatives. The product line consists of American and French oak. Both oak types receive open air seasoning, and when specified, toasting by three different methods. There are no chemicals used in the production or preservation of the products. Furthermore, Netamycin has not been used to treat our products. This letter is to serve as proof that Heinrich Oak Alternatives, and parent company Independent Stave Company, uses chemical-free oak for the products they produce and sell.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'David Llodrá'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

David Llodrá,

Research & Development Director



Heinrich Alternatives

Natamycin (Pimaricin) in Wood Q409
HPLC ISO 9233-2 2/16/10

	FO Chips	AO Chips	FO TS	FO TS	RDL
Natamycin	nd	nd	nd	nd	2

results in ng/g

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