## SUPPLEMENTARY

SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 1. Western blot analysis of recombinant mouse and human TSG-6 with anti-TSG-6 antibody. Murine recombinant TSG-6 (R&D Systems) and recombinant human TSG-6 (rhTSG-6; (1)) were run on 10% (w/v) Tris-Tricine SDS-PAGE at 500 ng/lane and electroblotted onto Hybond-P membranes (Amersham Biosciences) as described in (1). Western blot analysis was carried out as described previously (1), but using a rabbit anti-TSG-6 polyclonal antibody raised against the peptide ASVTAGGFQIK (see Experimental Procedures), which is completely conserved in the human and mouse TSG-6 proteins, at a concentration of 1  $\mu$ g/ml. The different molecular weights of the mouse and human TSG-6 recombinant proteins apparent in this analysis are due to the different sizes of *N*-linked glycans present on the mouse myeloma cell and *Drosophila* S2 cell (1) expressed material, respectively (M.S. Rugg and A. J. Day, unpublished data), and the presence of a 6-amino acid histidine tag at the C-terminal end of the murine protein (as described in the data sheet provided by the manufacturer).

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