

**Figure S1:** Senescence-associated *BfI-1/A1* induction as assessed by cDNA microarray, performed on A431 cells treated with 100  $\mu$ M RES for 48 h (Treat-1) or 72 h (Treat-2) using the Affymetrix GeneChip HG-U133A 2.0 array. Intensities of BfI-1/A1 expression and heat map for *BfI-1/A1* and other BcI-2 related genes are shown. DMSO, DMSO/untreated cells; control, untreated cells. Bottom panel: *BfI-1/A1* expression as assessed by RT-PCR, with GAPDH as an internal control.

ANOVA was performed to analyze any significant difference between the time points and DMSO-treated control, each with three replicates, using GeneSifter (VizX Labs, Seattle, WA). Genes with p<0.0001 were selected for further analysis.