Table S1. Bacterial strains

Strain	relevant genotype	reference
ATCC14028	wt S. Typhimurium (S. Tm)	American Type Culture
		Collection
JH3010	SL1344, prgH-gfp reporter; wt	[1]
SKI12	SL1344, wbaP::cat	[2]
M2001	ATCC 14028, sipA-tsr _{venus} reporter; wt	[5]
M2005	ATCC 14028, hilA::aphT	This study
M2007	ATCC 14028, hilD::aphT	This study
M2008	ATCC 14028, hilE::cat	This study
M2018	ATCC 14028, sipA-tsr _{venus} , hilA::aphT	This study
M2072	SL1344, prgHIJKorgABC::aphT,	This study
	invGEABCIJspaOPQRS::cat	
M2076	ATCC 14028, hilA-tsr _{venus}	This study
M2400	$\Delta sopE$, $\Delta sopE2$, $\Delta sopB$, $\Delta sipA$, $\Delta sptP$, $\Delta sopA$,	[6]
	$\Delta spvB$, $\Delta spvC$	
M2532	$\Delta sipBCDA$ - $sptP$:: $aphT$, $\Delta sopE$, $\Delta sopE2$, $\Delta sopB$	This study
	$\Delta sopA$, $\Delta spvB$, $\Delta spvC$	
M2821	SL1344, fliC-tsr _{venus}	This study
M556	SL1344, sseD::aphT	[7]
RM69	$\Delta spi-1$	[8]
SL1344	wt S. Typhimurium (S. Tm)	[9]
SB245	ΔsipABCD sptP::aphT fliGHI::Tn10	K. Kaniga and J. E. Galan, unpublished data

Deletion of *hilA* was performed by insertion of a kanamycin resistance cassette as previously described [10]. M2001, a wt ATCC14028 derivative carrying the *sipA-tsr*_{venus} reporter [11] in the chromosome downstream of the *sipA* stop codon has been described, recently [5]. M2018 was constructed by P22 transduction of the *hilA::aphT* allele into M2001. *ttss-1* regulators were amplified by PCR from SL1344 genomic DNA, cloned into pBAD24 and expressed under control of the p_{BAD} promoter.