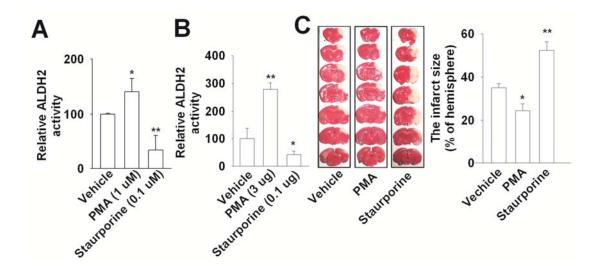
## **Supplementary information, Figure S5**



**Figure S5** The activation of PKC $\varepsilon$  protects against ischemic injuries *in vivo* and *in vitro*. (**A**) Cultured PC12 cells were treated with vehicle (DMSO), PMA (1 µM) and staurosporine (0.1 µM) for 6 h. Then the ALDH2 activity was measured by using clinical chemistry analyzer. *n* = 3. (**B**) In SD rats, the effect of intracerebroventricular (i.c.v) injection (5 µl) of PMA and staurosporine on the activity of ALDH2. *n* = 8. (**C**) The left panel shows representative TTC staining of 7 corresponding coronal brain sections of vehicle, PMA and staurosporine treatment rats on day 1 after MCAO for 2 h. The ischemic infarct region is white. *n* = 6. Mean  $\pm$  SD. Data are analyzed by ANOVA followed by LSD *post-hoc* testing. \**P* < 0.05, \*\**P* < 0.01 vs. vehicle. PMA, phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate; MCAO, middle cerebral artery occlusion.