



S1 Fig. Search for a potential protein binding partner(s) of LPPOs *B. subtilis* cell lysate was incubated either with empty streptavidin beads (EB) or with the beads couples with biotinylated LPPO (**DR5690**). The proteins associating with EB and LPPO were then resolved on SDS – PAGE and stained with Commassie Blue. A labeled molecular weight ladder (M) is shown on the left. The experiment was conducted three times on different days. A representative experiment is shown.