

**Figure S4.** Confirmation of the mutant *B. licheniformis* WX-02 $\Delta gdh/pHY-gdh$  strain by PCR amplification.

Lane M: DL5000 marker; Lane 1: negative control (PCR products amplified from the wild strain WX-02); Lane 2: PCR products of fusion fragment of P43-gdh-TamyL from WX-02 $\Delta gdh$ /pHY-gdh with the primers P43-gdh-TamyL-1 and 6.