

## Supplementary Figure 1

	<b>rPomc</b>			<b>hPOMC</b>		
	NeuroD1	Tpit	Pitx1	(NeuroD1)	(Tpit)	(Pitx1)
Wt	AAGGCAGATGGAC	GCCTCACACCAGGATG <u>CTAAGCCTCT</u>		Wt	CAGGCAGATGCCA	CCC <u>CACACGGGGGTGCTAAGCCTCC</u>
M1	AAGGCAGATGGAC	GCCTCAC <b>CAA</b> AGGATGCTAAGCCTCT		M1	CAGGCAGATGCCA	CCC <b>ACAAA</b> GGGGGTGCTAAGCCTCC
M2	AAGGCAGATGGAC	GCCTCACACCAGGATG <b>CTACTACTCT</b>		M2	CAGGCAGATGCCA	CCCCACACGGGGGTG <b>CTACTACTCC</b>
M3	AAGGCAGATGGAC	GCCTCAC <b>CAA</b> AGGATG <b>CTACTACTCT</b>		M3	CAGGCAGATGCCA	CCC <b>ACAAA</b> GGGGGTG <b>CTACTACTCC</b>
M4	AAGG <b>TTT</b> ATGGAC	GCCTCACACCAGGATG <b>CTAAGCCTCT</b>		M4	CAGG <b>TTT</b> ATGCCA	CCCCACACGGGGGTGCTAAGCCTCC

**Supplementary Figure 1.** Sequences of the *rPomc* promoter (-480/+63) (left) and *hPOMC* promoter (-428/+68) (right); mutant sequences are indicated in bold.