SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR "Endothelin receptor-specific control of endoplasmic reticulum stress and apoptosis in the kidney" by Carmen De Miguel, William C. Hamrick, Janet L. Hobbs, David M. Pollock, Pamela K. Carmines, and Jennifer S. Pollock.

Supplementary Table 1. Sequence for ER stress primers used for RT-PCR.

Gene name	Sequence
GRP78	F: AAC CCA GAT GAG GCT GTA GCA ⁵⁶
	R: ACA TCA AGC AGA ACC AGG TCA C
ATF-4	F: TAT GGA TGG GTT GGT CAG TG ⁵⁷
	R: CTC ATC TGG CAT GGT TTC C
ATF-6	F: GAT TTG ATG CCT TGG GAG TC ⁵⁷
	R: GGA CCG AGG AGA AGA GAC AG
sXBP-1	F: CTG AGT CCG AAT CAG GTG CAG ⁵⁸
	R: GGT CTT GTA GAA GGG TAC CTA
СНОР	F: CCA GCA GAG GTC ACA AGC AC ⁵⁶
	R: CGC ACT GAC CAC TCT GTT TC
Caspase 12	F: CAC TGC TGA TAC AGA TGA GG ⁵⁶
	R: CCT TCC ATC CGT TCT CAC C

SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE LEGENDS

Supplementary Figure 1. Treatment with tunicamycin does not alter renal infiltration of macrophages or T-lymphocytes. Average numbers of macrophages (ED-1 $^+$ cells; a) and T lymphocytes (CD3 $^+$ cells; b) present per field in renal cortex and outer medulla of TG-con and ETB def rats treated with saline or tunicamycin (n = 5/ group). Statistical significance was tested by two-way ANOVA.

Supplementary Figure 2. Treatment with tunicamycin leads to thickening of the outer medullary vasa recta in both experimental genotypes, as demonstrated by periodic acid Schiff (PAS) staining. Bar = 50 µm. 0 and 1 correspond to absence or presence of thickening, respectively. Statistical significance was tested by two-way ANOVA (n = 5/ group).











