Supplementary Figure 1: HT-29 cells were transiently transfected with DRA promoter construct (p-1183/+114) along with the mammalian expression vector for β -galactosidase (pCMV- β -gal). 6h or 12h post-transfection, HT-29 cells were treated with different doses of TNF ranging from 5-100 ng/mL for 6h (**A**) or 12h (**B**). Promoter activity was measured by luciferase assays. Values were normalized to β -galactosidase activity to correct for transfection efficiency. Results represent mean ± SEM of 3 separate experiments performed in triplicate and expressed as % of control comparing transfected cells treated with TNF to untreated cells (control). **p<0.001 compared with control.

Supplementary Figure 2:

Caco-2 cells were transfected with scrambled or $I\kappa B/\alpha$ specific small interfering RNA (siRNA) for 48h. Scrambled or $I\kappa B/\alpha$ treated Caco-2 cells were stained for p65 (green), DAPI (blue) and visualized by confocal microscopy. XY planar images and orthogonal XZ images Orthognal xz images were obtained with a Zeiss LSM 710 confocal microscope.

Supplementary Figure 3:

Caco-2 cells were transiently transfected with DRA promoter construct with and without p65 or p50 subunit expression vector. 24h post-transfection. Nuclear lysates were prepared, run on 7.5% SDS-PAGE, transblotted, and Western blotting was performed utilizing anti-p65 or p50 subunit antibody. Representative blot of 3 different experiments is shown

Supplementary Figure 4:

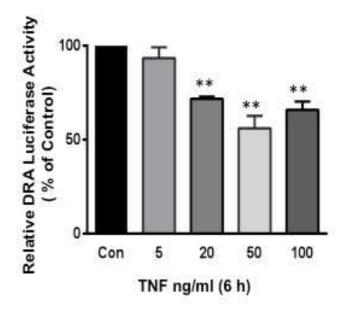
Caco-2 cells were transiently transfected with DRA promoter construct with (**A**) Different doses of p65 (0.2-1 μ g/well) or (**B**) p50 (0.2-1 μ g/well) subunit expression vector along with mammalian expression vector for β -galactosidase (pCMV- β -gal). 24h post-transfection, promoter activity was measured by luciferase assays. Values were normalized to β -galactosidase activity. (**C**) T-84 cells were transiently transfected with DRA promoter construct with and without p65 or p50 subunit expression vector or together along with the mammalian

expression vector for β -galactosidase (pCMV- β -gal). 24h post-transfection, promoter activity was measured by luciferase assays. Values were normalized to β -galactosidase activity. Results represent mean \pm SEM of 3 separate experiments performed in triplicate and expressed as % of control comparing p65 or vehicle transfected (control). **p<0.001 compared with control

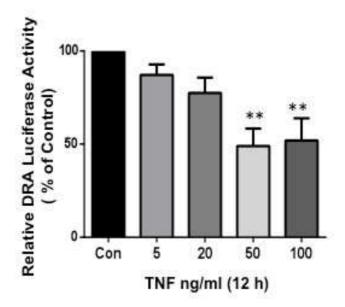
Supplementary Figure 5:

Caco-2 cells grown in 3D culture system were treated with TNF (50 ng/ml, 24 h). Total RNA was extracted and quantitative real-time RT-PCR was performed utilizing SYBR green fluorescent dye. Data represent the relative expression of NHE2 (A) and ZO-1 (B) normalized to the respective GAPDH mRNA (internal control) levels. Results are expressed as fold-change in mRNA levels in treated cells compared with control. Data represent mean ± SEM of 3 separate experiments. ** p<0.001 compared with control.

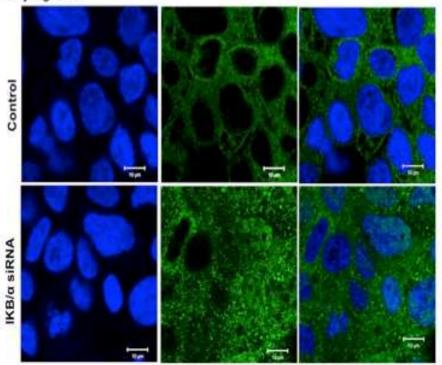
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Supplementary Figure: 1B

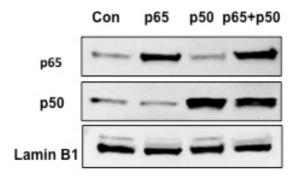


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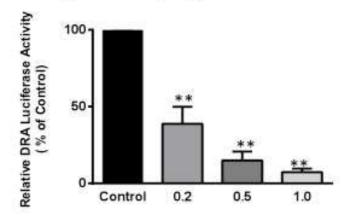


Green- P65 Blue- Nuclei

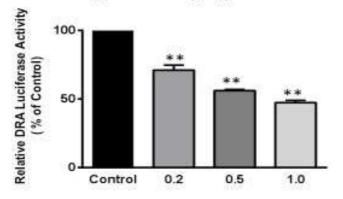
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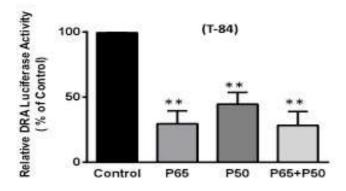
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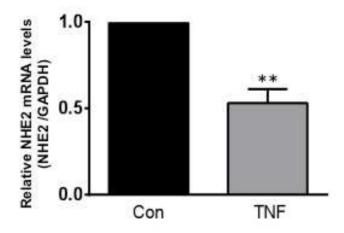
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Supplementary Figure: 4C



Supplementary Figure: 5A



Supplementary Figure: 5B

