

## Supporting Information - S8 Fig

**Table A:**  
Concentrations of pharmaceutical agents used for combination treatment

	T265 cells	S462 cells	NSF1 cells
U0126	2.5 $\mu$ M	2.5 $\mu$ M	10 $\mu$ M
PD0325901	10 nM	10 nM	100 nM
ATRA	25 $\mu$ M	10 $\mu$ M	50 $\mu$ M

**Table B:**  
Primer sequences for RT-PCR

F - forward, R - reverse, P – probe; PCR primer and conditions were optimized in order to guarantee one single PCR product for each PCR reaction. Amplicon size was verified by resolving on agarose gels for conventional PCR\*. Single amplicons were verified by melting curve analysis after quantitative PCR#. PCR via manufactured TaqMan probes did not require amplicon verification°.

Gene		Sequence (5' → 3')	Amplicon length (bp)
GAPDH <sup>#</sup>	F	accactcctccaccttggac	76
	R	cataccaggaatgagcttgacaa	
	P	ctggcattgccctcaacgacca	
CRABP2 <sup>°</sup>		Gene Expression Assay Applied Biosystems: Hs00275636_m1	not specified
FABP5 <sup>°</sup>		Gene Expression Assay Applied Biosystems: Hs02339439_g1	not specified
ZNF423 <sup>°</sup>		Gene Expression Assay Applied Biosystems: Hs00323880_m1	not specified
CYP26A1 <sup>#</sup>	F	ctggacatgcaggcactaaa	100
	R	gccccaggtaagtatcaga	
PDK1 <sup>#</sup>	F	ggttacgggacagatgcagt	109
	R	cgtggttggtgtgtaatgc	
RARA <sup>*</sup>	F	ggcatgtccaaggagtctgtg	90
	R	cgtcagcgtgtagctctcag	
RARB <sup>#</sup>	F	ttctcagtgccatctgcttaatct	130
	R	ggcttgctgggtcgtctttt	
RARG <sup>*</sup>	F	aacaaggtgaccaggaatcg	133
	R	tgtcaggtgacccttctcc	
RXRA <sup>*</sup>	F	caaggactgcctgattgaca	150
	R	ctggtcgactccacctcatt	
RXRB <sup>*</sup>	F	tcagcagccccagattaac	151
	R	attgcacatagccgtttgcc	
RXRG <sup>*</sup>	F	cgggattggaacatgaact	103
	R	taccccgtagtgctttctcg	

**Table C:**  
**Primer sequences used for bisulfite-sequencing**

Sequence (relative to TSS)	Sequence (5' → 3') methylated	Sequence (5' → 3') un-methylated
-450 to -416	tctgcttaaccctcaatgct	tttggttaatttttaatggt
-38 to +1	acacgagccctgagcatctg	atatgagtttgagtatttg
+277 to +299	tcttggtccagaacctg	tttggttttagaatttg
+344 to +365	gtgctccagcctaggagtcta	gtgttttagtttaggagtta

**Table D:**  
**Primer sequences used for amplification of bisulfite converted DNA**  
(F – forward, R – reverse)

Sequence (relative to TSS)		Sequence (5' → 3') methylated	Sequence (5' → 3') un-methylated
-450 to -416	F	aataaagauuttgctcaagtgattg	aataaagattttgtgtcaagtgattg
	R	actcacgtaatacctaaagactctaaaaa	tttttagagctcttaggtattacgtgagt
-38 to +1	F	gaattcgggtgggggatagttatata	gaatttgggtgggggatagttatata
	R	ccaccaacctctaaatctaacc	gggtagatttagaggttggtgg
+277 to +365	F	gggagtttaggttagtttgggg	gggagtttaggttagtttgggg
	R	cccaacactttaacaattcctc	gaggaattgutuaaagtgutggg

**Table E:**  
**Specifications of antibodies used for western blot analysis**

Antibody	Specification	Species	Dilution	Manufacturer
α-CRABP2	polyclonal	rabbit	1:250	Abcam (ab74365)
α-β-actin	monoclonal	mouse	1:200000	Cell Signaling (#3700)
α-GAPDH	polyclonal	rabbit	1:10000	Sigma (G9545)
α-ERK	monoclonal	rabbit	1:2000	Cell Signaling (#4696)
α-p-ERK	monoclonal	rabbit	1:4000	Cell Signaling (#4370)
α-Rabbit	monoclonal, hrp-coupled	mouse	1:10000	Sigma (A 2074)
α-Mouse	polyclonal, hrp-coupled	goat	1:10000	Sigma (A3682)