

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE S1. LIST OF QUANTITATIVE  
 REAL-TIME POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION PRIMERS  
 USED IN THIS PAPER

<i>Primer name</i>	<i>Primer sequence</i>
r18S forward primer	5'-CGGCTACCACATCCAAGGAA-3'
r18S reverse primer	5'-GGGCCTCGAAAGAGTCCTGT-3'
RUNX2 forward primer	5'-TCCCTGAACTCTGCACCAAG-3'
RUNX2 reverse primer	5'-ATCTGGCTCAGGTAGGAGGG-3'
SMAD3 forward primer	5'-GCAGAACGTCAACACCAAGTGC-3'
SMAD3 reverse primer	5'-GTGCAGGTCTGGCCATCGC-3'