

S3 Figure. Effect of growth phase on *K. pneumoniae* 52.145 T6SS expression.

(A, B, C) Analysis of the T6SS expression by Kp52145 carrying the transcriptional fusions tssB::lucFF to monitor locus I, tssK2::lucFF to monitor locus II, and sciZ3::lucFF to monitor locus III. At the indicated time points, an aliquot of the culture was taken to measure luciferase levels, and  $OD_{600}$ . Luminescence is expressed as relative light units (RLU). The data are presented as means  $\pm$  the standard deviations (n = 3)