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goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) MDYDFKVKLSSEERERVEDLFEYEGCKVGRGTYGHVYKAKRKDGKDDKDYALKQIEGTGIS 60
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) ----- 1

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) MSACREIALLLRELKHPNVISLQKVFLSHADRKVWLLFDYAEHDLWHIIKFRASKANKKP 120
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) .....A.....S..... 60

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) VQLPRGMVKSLLYQILDGIHYLHANWVLRDLK PANILVMGEGPERGRVKIADMGFARLF 180
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) M....S..... 120

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) NSPLKPLADLDPVVVTFWYRAPELLLGARHYTKAIDIWAIGCIFAELLTSEPIFHCQRQED 240
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) ..... 180

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) IKTSNPYHHDQLDRIFNVMGFPADKDWEDIKKMPEHSTLMKDFRNTYTNCSLIKYMEKH 300
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) .....F.....S.....R....YP..Q.....T..A.S..... 240

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) KVKPDSKAFHLLQKLLTMDPIKRITSEQAMQDPYFLEDPLPTSDVFAGCQIPYPKREFLT 360
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) .....V.L.....T.....L.....Q.....L.....N 300

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) EEEPDDKGDKNQQQQ-----PGNNHTNGTG----HPG--- 389
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) .D..EE...NQ...NQHQPTAPPQQAAPPQAPPQQNSTQ...AGGAGAG.AGAG 360

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) ---NQDSSHTQGPPLKVRVVPPTTSSGGLIMITSDYQRSNPHAAYPNPGPSTSQPQSSMG 446
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) LQHS...GLN.V..N..P.LG.SG.N...PV.P....H.SSRLN.QSSVQGS..S..TL. 420

goat CDK8 (XP_005687614.1) YSTTSQPPQY--SHQTHRY 464
goat CDK19 (XP_017908559.1) ..SS...SA..HP...A... 440

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**Figure S1.** A protein sequence alignment between CDK8 and CDK19 in goat.

**Table S1.** Details of the primers in this study and their corresponding amplicon size.

Genes	Reference	Primer pair with sequence (5'-3') <sup>a</sup>	Primer length (nt)	TA <sup>b</sup> (°C)	Amplicon size <sup>c</sup> (bp)
circRNA-1926	[16]	F: GGTGGCATCGATAATCCTGC R: ACAGATCCCACATTTCAGAACT	20 22	55	182
<i>Keratin 6</i>	XM_018049019.1 in GenBank	F: CAGTCGCAGCCTCTACAACCT R: CAAATGCCACCTCCATAACCA	21 21	56	159
<i>Keratin 7</i>	XM_005680100.3 in GenBank	F: GAGTTTGTGGTGTGAAGAA R: AAGTCCAGGGAGCGGTTGTT	20 20	56	194
<i>Keratin 8</i>	XM_005679931.3 in GenBank	F: TCCTTCAGCAGCCGCTCCTA R: CTGTAATGCCCCCAAACCT	20 20	58	160
<i>Keratin 16</i>	XM_013972083.2 in GenBank	F: CCTTTGTGGCTAGTGGTATG R: CAGTTTCAGGGGTTGCTTAT	20 20	55	188
<i>Keratin 17</i>	XM_018065055.1 in GenBank	F: GGGGAATGAAACAGAGGAG R: GAGGAGAGAAGCCCAAGATG	20 20	56	112
<i>CDK19</i>	XM_005684572.3 in GenBank	F: TGAGAGGGGGAGAGTCAAAATA R: ACCAGAAAGTCACAACACTACAGG	22 22	55	104
<i>UBC</i>	[23]	F:GCATTGTTGGGTTCTGTGT R:TTTGCAATTTGACCTGTGAG	20 20	52	90
<i>YWHAZ</i>	[23]	F:TGTAGGAGCCCGTAGGTCATCT R:TTCTCTGTATTCTCGAGCCATCT	22 25	56	102
<i>SDHA</i>	[23]	F:AGCACTGGAGGAAGCACAC R:CACAGTCGGTCTCGTTCAA	19 19	53	105
<i>CDK19</i> <sup>d</sup>	The present study	F:TTGAATGTTTAGTTTTTAAAT R:ACAACCTCCATACTAACATAAA	22 22	55	544
miR-152-3p	MIMAT0000162 in miRBase	F:CGTCAGTGCATGACAGAACTTGG	23	62	N.A.
miR-148a-3p	MIMAT0035977 in miRBase	F:CGTCAGTGCACACTACAGAACTTTGT	24	60	N.A.
miR-148b-3p	MIMAT0035979 in miRBase	F:CGTCAGTGCATCACAGAACTTTGT	24	62	N.A.
miR-642a-5p	MIMAT0003312 in miRBase	F:CGGTCCCTCTCCAAATGTGTCTTG	24	63	N.A.
let-7d-5p	[24]	F:CGAGAGGTAGTAGGTTGCATAGTT	24	62	N.A.
miR-26a-5p	[24]	F:CGTTCAAGTAATCCAGGATAGGCT	24	61	N.A.
miR-15a-5p	[24]	F: CGTAGCAGCACATAATGGTTTGTG	24	63	N.A.

<sup>a</sup> F: forward, R:reverse; <sup>b</sup> TA annealing temperature; <sup>c</sup> N.A.: not available; <sup>d</sup> CDK19 was used for the designing of BSP primers.