



Supplemental Fig. S3. Effects of forkhead box O6 (FoxO6) on interleukin (IL)-1 β activity in HepG2 cells. A schematic depiction of the IL-1 β promoter-directed luciferase reporter system in pHD386 is given. A consensus inositol-requiring enzyme 1 (IRE) DNA motif and its mutant form are indicated. HepG2 cells in 48-well microplates were transduced with adenoviral vector (AdV)-FoxO6, FoxO6-specific RNA interference (RNAi), or control AdV-null vectors at a fixed dose (multiplicity of infection, 100 pfu/cell), followed by transfection with 0.5 μ g of pcDNA and IL-1 β DNA in the culture medium. After incubation for 24 hours, the cells were harvested for the determination of luciferase and β -galactosidase activities. The relative luciferase activity was calculated based on the luciferase/ β -galactosidase activity ratio. siRNA, small interfering RNA. ^a P <0.001 vs. blank; ^b P <0.05 and ^c P <0.001 vs. IL-1 β DNA with pcDNA treated cells by one-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) with Tukey's *post hoc* test.