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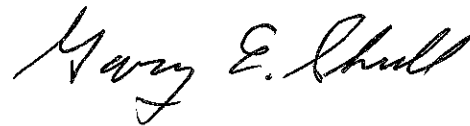
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*Basic Study*

Differential Expression of pancreatic protein and chemosensing receptor mRNAs in NKCC1-null Intestine

**Animal care and use statement.**

Mice were maintained in a specific pathogen-free temperature-controlled barrier facility, with access to food and water ad libitum. We affirm that all appropriate measures were taken to minimize pain and discomfort. Euthanasia was performed by intraperitoneal injection of sodium pentobarbital (300 mg/kg) followed by cervical dislocation. All experiments were approved by the University of Cincinnati Animal Care and Use Committee.

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