## **Supplementary Materials:**

## synZIKV H/PF/2013

#	Position	Sequences		
1	34-83	Original	ttcgagtttgaagcgaaagctagcaacagtatcaacaggt <mark>T</mark> ttattttgg	0,98
		Modified	Not modified due to RNA secondary structures	0,96
2	905-954	Original	gcttttgggaagctcaacgagccaaaaagtcatatacttg <mark>G</mark> tcatgatac	0.09
		Modified	gctt <mark>C</mark> tgggaagctcaacgagccaaaaagtcat <mark>C</mark> tacttg <mark>G</mark> tcatgatac	0,98
	1432-1481	Original	tcgttaatgacacaggacatgaaactgatgagaatagagc <mark>G</mark> aaggttgag	0.07
3		Modified	tcgttaatga <mark>T</mark> acaggacatgaaactgatgagaa <mark>C</mark> agagc <b>G</b> aaggttgag	0,97
	1836-1885	Original	ggccacttgaaatgtcgcctgaaaatggataaacttagat <b>T</b> gaagggcgt	0.06
4		Modified	ggccac <mark>C</mark> tgaaatgtcgcctgaaaatgga <mark>C</mark> aaacttagatTgaagggcgt	0,96
_	2104-2153	Original	tggaacttgatccaccatttggggactcttacattgtcatAggagtcggg	0.00
5		Modified	tggaact <mark>C</mark> gatccaccatttggggactcttacattgtcat <mark>A</mark> ggagtcggg	0,86
	2205-2254	Original	gcatttgaagccactgtgagaggtgccaagagaatggcag <mark>T</mark> cttgggaga	0.04
6		Modified	gcatt <mark>C</mark> gaagccactgtgagaggtgccaagag <mark>G</mark> atggcag <b>T</b> cttgggaga	0,94
_	2341-2390	Original	cattgtttggaggaatgtcctggttctcacaaattctcat <b>T</b> ggaacgttg	0.00
7		Modified	cattgtt <mark>C</mark> ggaggaatgtcctggttctcaca <mark>G</mark> attctcatTggaacgttg	0,99
	2560-2609	Original	acgttgaagcctggagggaccggtacaagtaccatcctga <b>C</b> tcccccgt	0.00
8		Modified	acgt <mark>C</mark> gaagcctggagggaccggtacaagtaccatcctga <b>C</b> tcccccgt	0,88

X exchanged nucleotides for CEP silencing

X +1 nt of in silico predicted CEP (program output)

**Figure S1:** Results of in silico prediction of cryptic prokaryotic promoters in the MR766 sequence.

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1	34-83	Original	ttcgagtttgaagcgagagctaacaacagtatcaacaggt <b>T</b> taatttgga	0,98	
		Modified	Not modified due to RNA secondary structures	0,96	
2	353-402	Original	aaatttaagaaagatcttgctgccatgttgagaataatca <mark>A</mark> tgctaggaa	0,97	
		Modified	aaatttaagaaagatcttgctgccatgttgag <mark>G</mark> ataatca <mark>A</mark> tgctaggaa	0,97	
3	692-741	Original	acttgggttgtgtacggaacctgtcatcataaaaaaggtgAagcacggcg	0.04	
		Modified	ac <mark>G</mark> tgggttgtgtacggaacctgtcatca <mark>C</mark> aaaaaaggtg <b>A</b> agcacggcg	0,94	
4	781-830	Original	gaaattgcaaacgcggtcgcagacttggctagaatcaaga <mark>G</mark> aatacacaa	0.07	
		Modified	gaaatt <mark>A</mark> caaacgcggtcgcagacttggct <mark>G</mark> gaatcaaga <b>G</b> aatacacaa	0,97	
_	004.050	Original	gcttttgggaagctcgacgagccaaaaagtcatatacttg <b>G</b> tcatgatac	0.07	
5	904-953	Modified	gctttt <mark>A</mark> ggaagctcgacgagccaaaaagtcat <mark>T</mark> tacttg <mark>G</mark> tcatgatac	0,97	
_	1215-1263	Original	cctaccttgacaagcaatcagacactcaatatgtttgcaaAagaacattg	0.06	
6		Modified	cctacct <mark>C</mark> gacaagcaatcagacactcaatatgt <mark>C</mark> tgcaa <b>A</b> agaacattg	0,96	
7	1657-1706	Original	tccacattggaacaacaaggaggcattagtggaattcaag <mark>G</mark> acgcccacg	0.04	
		Modified	tccaca <mark>C</mark> tggaacaacaaggaggcattagtgga <mark>G</mark> ttcaag <mark>G</mark> acgcccacg	0,94	
8	1780-1829	Original	ggctgagatggatggtgcaaagggaaggctattctctggc <mark>C</mark> acttgaaat	0.00	
°		Modified	ggctgagatggatggtgcaaagggaaggct <mark>G</mark> ttctctggc <b>C</b> acttgaaat	0,88	
	2048-2097	Original	gtgattactgaaagcactgagaattcaaagatgatgttggAgctcgaccc	0.04	
9		Modified	gtgat <mark>C</mark> actgaaagcactgagaattcaaagatgatgttgg <mark>A</mark> gctcgaccc	0,94	
10	2111-2160	Original	tcttacattgtcataggagttggggataagaaaatcacccAtcactggca	0.04	
10		Modified	tcttacat <mark>C</mark> gtcataggagttggggataagaa <mark>G</mark> atcaccc <b>A</b> tcactggca	0,94	
11	2186-2235	Original	gcatttgaagccactgtgagaggcgctaagagaatggcag <mark>T</mark> cctggggga	0.05	
11		Modified	gcatt <mark>C</mark> gaagccactgtgagaggcgctaagag <mark>G</mark> atggcag <mark>T</mark> cctggggga	0,95	
12	2541-2590	Original	acgttgaagcctggagggaccggtacaagtaccatcctga <mark>C</mark> tcccctcgt	0.88	
12		Modified	acgt <mark>C</mark> gaagcctggagggaccggtacaagtaccatcctga <b>C</b> tcccctcgt	0,88	

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**Figure S2:** Results of in silico prediction of cryptic prokaryotic promoters in the H/PF/2013 sequence.

**Table S1.** Modified restriction sites in MR766 syn-sequence.

Position of restriction site	Original codon within site	Changed codon within site	Enzyme	Added/ deleted	Comment
					Methylated in
896	GCC	GCG	NruI	+	dcm+/ dam+
					bacteria
1748	GGA	GGC	NarI	+	None
3317	GGT	GGA	KpnI	-	One site remains
3845	CTG	CTA	NheI	-	One site remains
6387	AGG	CGG	XmaI	+	None
7769	GCT	GCG	AscI	+	None
8264	GGA	GGC	SpeI	-	One site remains

 $\textbf{Table S2.}\ Modified\ restriction\ sites\ in\ H/PF/2013\ syn-sequence.$ 

Position of restriction site	Original codon within site	Changed codon within site	Enzyme	Added/ deleted	Comment
711	GGA	GGT	KpnI	+	None
747	TCT	TCC	XbaI	-	One site remains
2581	AGG	CGG	AgeI	+	None
2712	GAG	GAA	SacI	-	One site remains
3858	AGC	AGT	SphI	-	One site remains
4323	GCC	GCA	SacII	-	One site remains
5752	AGC	AGT	SacI	-	One site remains
7737	GAG	GAA	EcoRI	+	None
8520	AGG	AGA	BamHI	-	One site remains
9120	TTT	TTC	XbaI	-	One site remains