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## **PISD Antibody Blocking Peptide**

Catalog Number: bs-8866P

Activity: Not tested

Purification: HPLC

Storage: Shipped at 4°C. Stored at -20°C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Background: Enzymes known as phosphatidylserine decarboxylases (PSDs) catalyze the formation of

phosphatidylethanolamine from phosphatidylserine via phosphatidylserine

decarboxylation. Type I PSDs contain LGST motifs and are found in bacteria and eukaryotic

mitochondria, whereas type II PSDs contain GGST motifs and are found in eukaryotic

endomembrane systems. PISD (phosphatidylserine decarboxylase), also known as

phosphatidylserine decarboxylase proenzyme, PSDC, PSD, PSSC, DJ858B16, dJ858B16.2 or

DKFZp566G2246, is a 408 amino acid a type I phosphatidylserine decarboxylase that localizes to the inner mitochondrial membrane. PISD contains a conserved LGST motif

which is cleaved to produce two isoforms known as PISD  $\alpha$  and PISD  $\beta$ . PISD is capable of

forming a heterodimer and is highly expressed in liver and testis. The gene encoding PISD

maps to human chromosome 22q12.2.