



**Fig. S2. Confirmation of MCL-1 ectopic expression.** Levels of MCL-1 protein (A) and *MCL-1* mRNA (B) were detected by western blot and qRT-PCR, respectively, in MCL-1 transfected Raw 264.7 cells at 24 h post-transfection. Representative immune blot is shown (A). Data represent mean  $\pm$  SEM from three independent experiments (\*\*\*)  $p < 0.05$  (B).