Table SI. Baseline clinicopathological characteristics of the patients with esophageal squamous cell carcinoma.

| Clinicopathological characteristics | Total number, n (%) |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Age, years                          |                     |
| <60                                 | 5 (33.3)            |
| ≥60                                 | 10 (66.7)           |
| Sex                                 |                     |
| Male                                | 10 (66.7)           |
| Female                              | 5 (33.3)            |
| TNM Stage                           |                     |
| I                                   | 6 (40.0)            |
| II/III                              | 9 (60.0)            |
| Nodal metastasis                    |                     |
| No                                  | 10 (66.7)           |
| Yes                                 | 5 (33.3)            |

TNM, tumor node metastasis.