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**Supplemental Digital Content 6: Percent of interstitial area in saline- and sivelestat-treated mice after LPS administration**

**(A)** Representative haematoxylin-eosin staining images of heart specimens. Bars: 50 µm. **(B)** Graphs showing the percent area of the interstitial space. \* p < 0.05 vs saline-treated mice.