CHAPTER V

CONCLUSIONS

- 1. The recombinant plasmid, pWHM3-picK, was constructed under controlled by *lac* promoter.
- 2. E. coli XL1-Blue carrying pWHM3- picK expressed picK as protein molecular weight of 45 kDa determined by SDS-PAGE and the P450 activity was observed by carbon monoxide difference spectrum analyses.
- The pWHM3-picK was transformed into S. lividans TK24 by PEG-mediated protoplast transformation. Transformation efficiency of recombinant S. lividans
 TK24 was 2.27 x 10⁵ transformant per μg DNA.
- 4. The *picK* expression in *Streptomyces* species could not be detected by SDS-PAGE and carbon monoxide difference spectrum analyses.