Supporting Information

Hydrogen-bonded Supramolecular Architectures of Organic Salts Based on Aromatic Tetra-carboxylic Acids and Amines

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** Crystallographic data for 1~4 in CIF format were provided as an additional file.



Figure 1S The TG-DTA curve of salt **4**. TG-DTA studies were carried out on a NETZSCH TG 209 thermal analyzer.



Figure 2S XRPD patterns for **4**: 1 (black) simulated from X-ray single crystal data, 2 (red) experimented for crystals and **3** (green) experimented for that after heating **4** at 120 °C for 20 min. The X-ray powder diffraction patterns (XRPD) were recorded on a Rigaku D/Max-2500 diffractometer, operated at 40 kV and 100 mA, using a Cu-target tube and a graphite monochromater. The intensity data were recorded by continuous scan in a $2\theta/\theta$ mode from 3° to 60° with a step size of 0.02° and a scan speed of 8°·min⁻¹. Simulation of the XRPD spectra was carried out by the single-crystal data and diffraction-crystal module of the commercially available Cerius2 program (*Cerius2*, Molecular Simulation Incorporated, San Diego, CA 2001.).



Figure 3S Solid state IR spectra for 4 (*red*), and its dehydrate (*black*) and PTA acid (H₄PTA) (*green*). IR spectra were measured on a TENSOR 27 (Bruker) FT-IR spectrometer with KBr pellets.



(a)



(b)

Figure 4S Solid state excitation and emission spectra of **4** (a) and H₄PTA; (b) the spectra were recorded on a JY FluoroMax-3 spectrophotometer at room temperature.