

## Supporting information

### Inorganic Anion Regulates the Phase Transition in Two Organic Cation Salts Containing [(4-Nitroanilinium)(18-crown-6)]<sup>+</sup> Supramolecules

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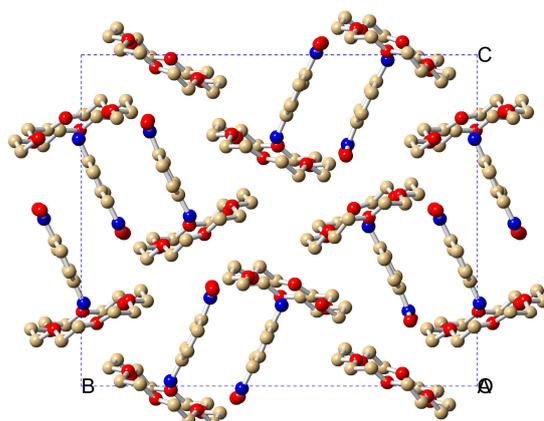


Fig.S1 the arrangement of the supramolecular cations (4-Nitroanilinium)(18-crown-6) of crystal **2** in the *bc* plane.

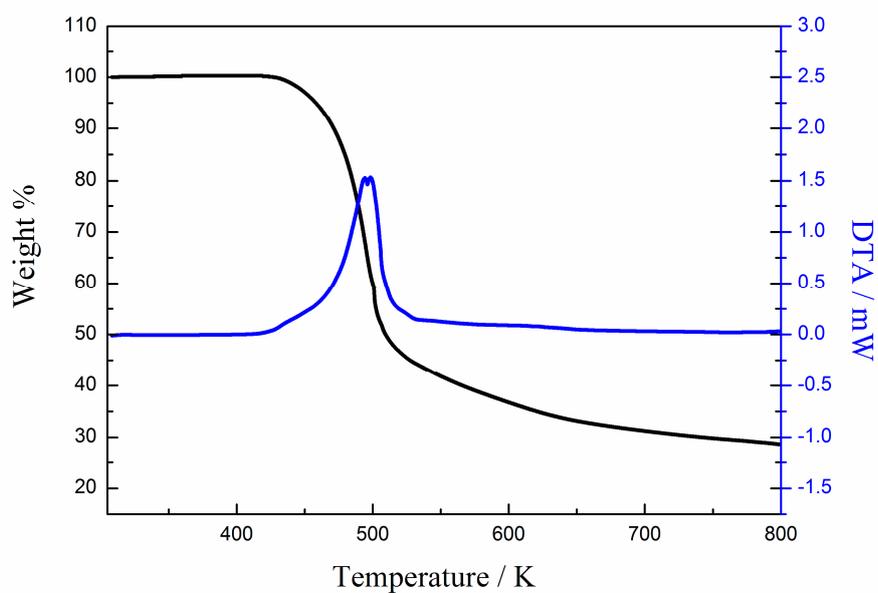


Fig S2. TG and DTA curves for inclusion compound **1**

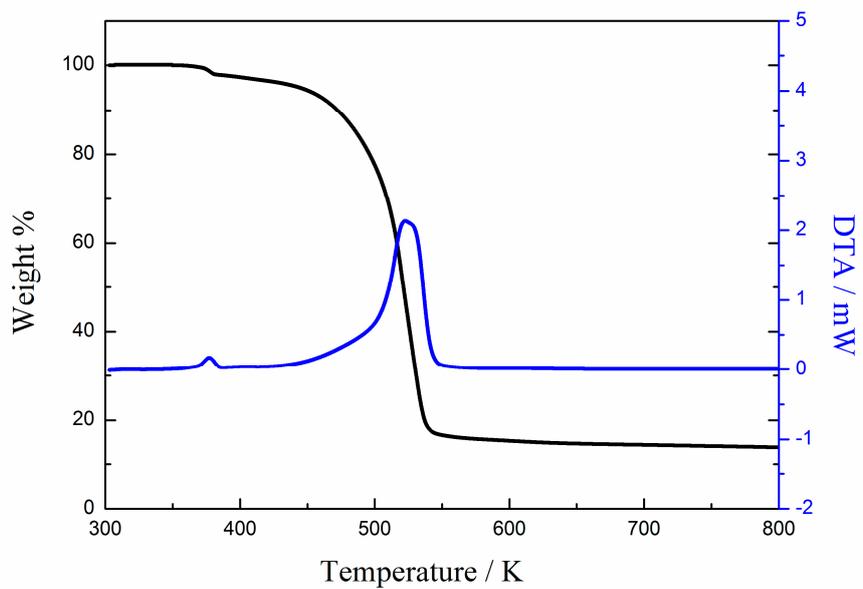


Fig S3. TG and DTA cures for inclusion compound **2**

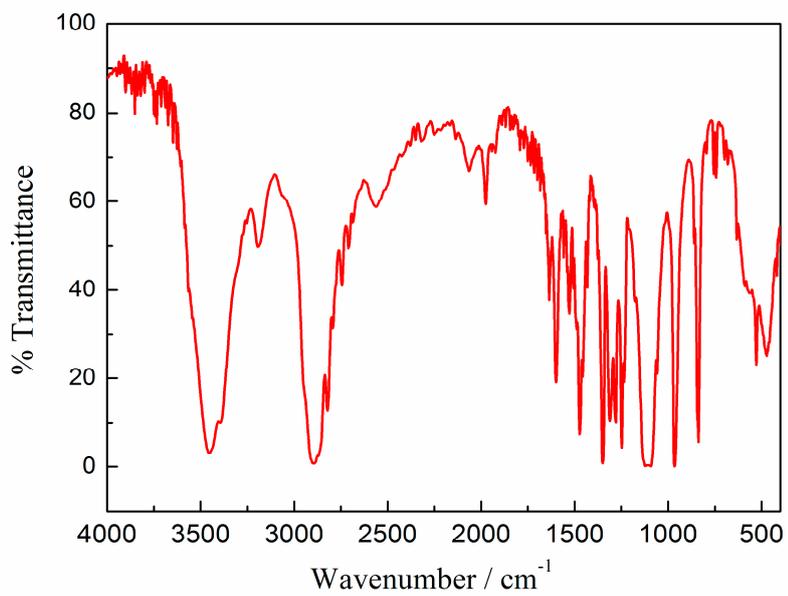


Fig. S4 IR of crystal **1**

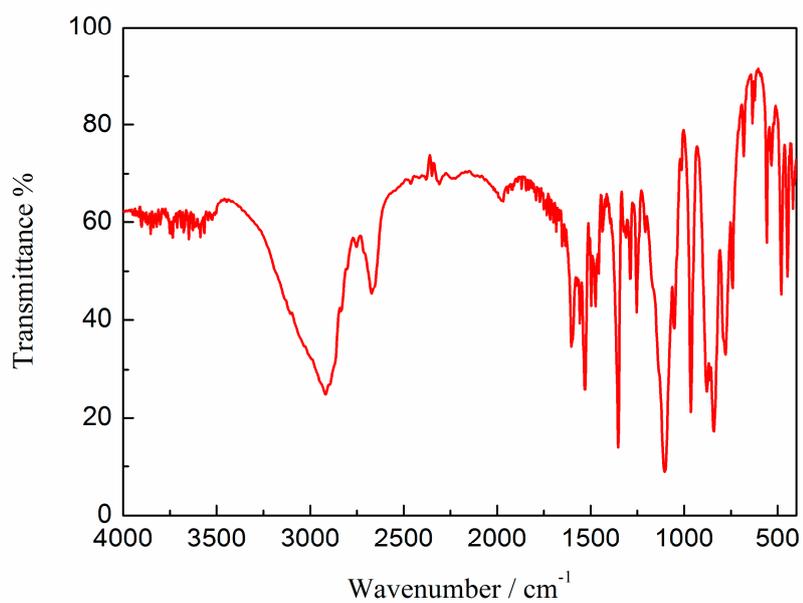


Fig. S5 IR of crystal **2**

Table S1. Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °) for complex **1**

D-H···A	D-H(Å)	H···A(Å)	D···A(Å)	D-H···A(°)
100K				
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WC</sub> ···O <sub>1</sub>	0.891	2.480	2.871	107.08
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WC</sub> ···O <sub>2</sub>	0.891	2.020	2.903	171.08
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WB</sub> ···O <sub>3</sub>	0.923	2.510	2.892	105.24
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WB</sub> ···O <sub>4</sub>	0.923	1.935	2.842	167.27
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WA</sub> ···O <sub>5</sub>	0.880	2.534	2.912	106.75
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WA</sub> ···O <sub>6</sub>	0.880	1.945	2.821	173.97
O <sub>11</sub> -H <sub>11C</sub> ···O <sub>10</sub>	0.863	1.785	2.647	175.77
296K				
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WC</sub> ···O <sub>1</sub>	0.848	2.518	2.877	106.52
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WC</sub> ···O <sub>2</sub>	0.848	2.024	2.867	172.97
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WA</sub> ···O <sub>3</sub>	0.845	2.487	2.927	113.37
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WA</sub> ···O <sub>4</sub>	0.845	2.039	2.875	169.73
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WB</sub> ···O <sub>5</sub>	0.850	2.562	2.880	103.44
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1WB</sub> ···O <sub>6</sub>	0.850	2.082	2.907	163.63
O <sub>11</sub> -H <sub>11C</sub> ···O <sub>10</sub>	0.842	1.823	2.657	170.13

Table S2. The occupation factor of oxygen atoms in  $-\text{NO}_2$  group for 296K

Oxygen atom	O <sub>14A</sub>	O <sub>14B</sub>	O <sub>15A</sub>	O <sub>15B</sub>	O <sub>16A</sub>	O <sub>16B</sub>	O <sub>17A</sub>	O <sub>17B</sub>
occupation factor	0.612(15)	0.388(15)	0.51(2)	0.49(2)	0.63(2)	0.37(2)	0.68(2)	0.32(2)

Table S3. Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ) for complex **2**

D-H $\cdots$ A	D-H( $\text{\AA}$ )	H $\cdots$ A( $\text{\AA}$ )	D $\cdots$ A( $\text{\AA}$ )	D-H $\cdots$ A( $^\circ$ )
100K				
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1D</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>7</sub>	0.891	2.048	2.867	152.26
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1E</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>8</sub>	0.889	2.284	2.908	127.10
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1E</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>9</sub>	0.889	2.032	2.847	151.87
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>10</sub>	0.890	2.330	2.956	127.40
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>11</sub>	0.890	1.998	2.821	153.24
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1D</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>12</sub>	0.891	2.302	2.942	128.66
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4D</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>1</sub>	0.891	2.460	2.920	112.58
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4D</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>2</sub>	0.891	2.030	2.905	167.30
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>3</sub>	0.891	2.508	2.949	111.18
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>4</sub>	0.891	2.029	2.914	172.42
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4E</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>5</sub>	0.891	2.478	2.906	114.51
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4E</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>6</sub>	0.891	1.975	2.853	168.38
296K				
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1A</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>7</sub>	0.890	2.038	2.924	173.33
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1A</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>8</sub>	0.890	2.653	2.960	101.35
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>9</sub>	0.890	2.039	2.916	168.41
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>10</sub>	0.890	2.590	2.913	102.33
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1B</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>11</sub>	0.889	1.971	2.851	179.01
N <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>1B</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>12</sub>	0.889	2.596	2.953	104.93
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>1</sub>	0.891	2.347	2.942	124.23
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4A</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>2</sub>	0.890	1.970	2.816	158.02
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4A</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>3</sub>	0.890	2.384	2.966	123.00
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4B</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>4</sub>	0.889	2.034	2.873	156.89
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4B</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>5</sub>	0.889	2.338	2.915	122.67
N <sub>4</sub> -H <sub>4C</sub> $\cdots$ O <sub>6</sub>	0.891	2.018	2.867	156.5