

# Supporting Information

for

## Piezo-responsive hydrogen-bonded frameworks based on vanillin–barbiturate conjugates

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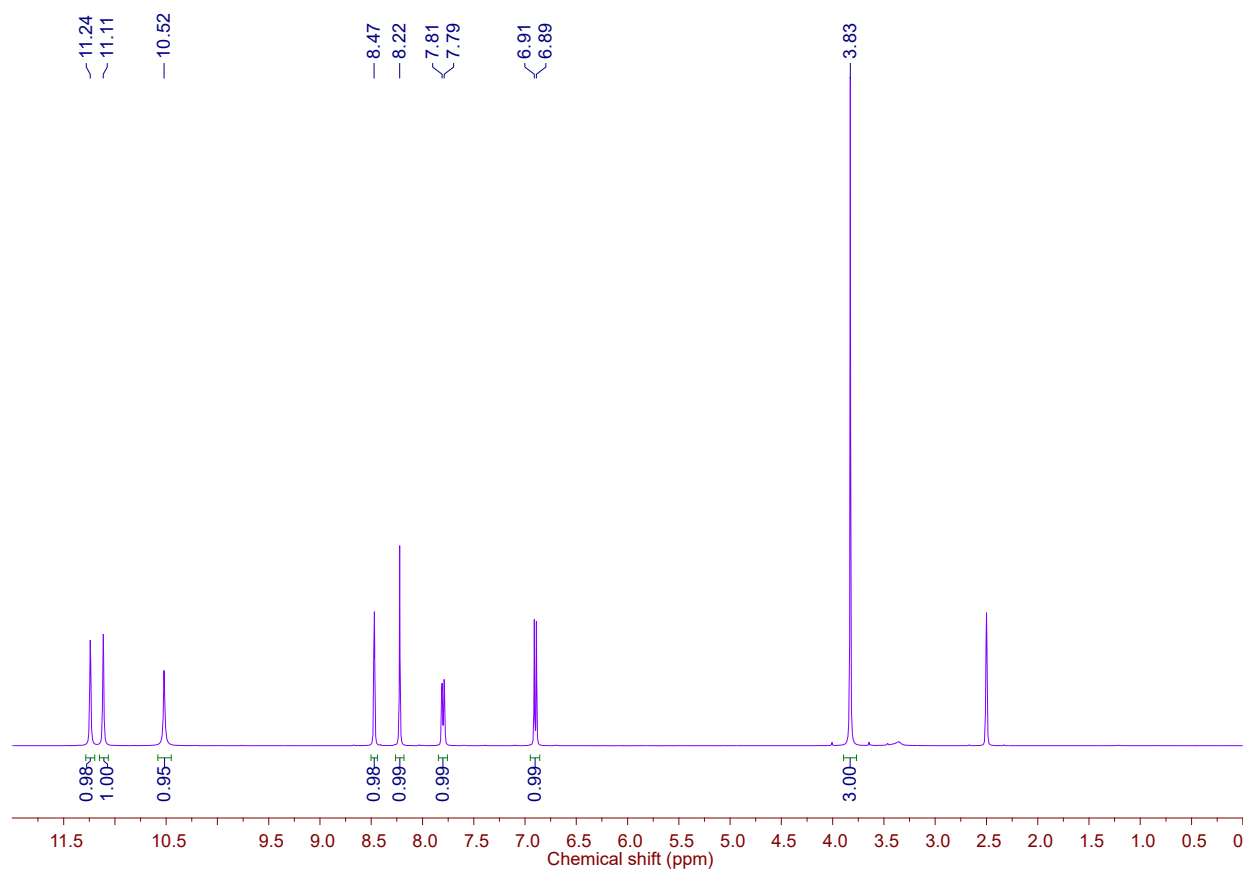


Figure S1. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound **3a** (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, 400 MHz, 298 K).

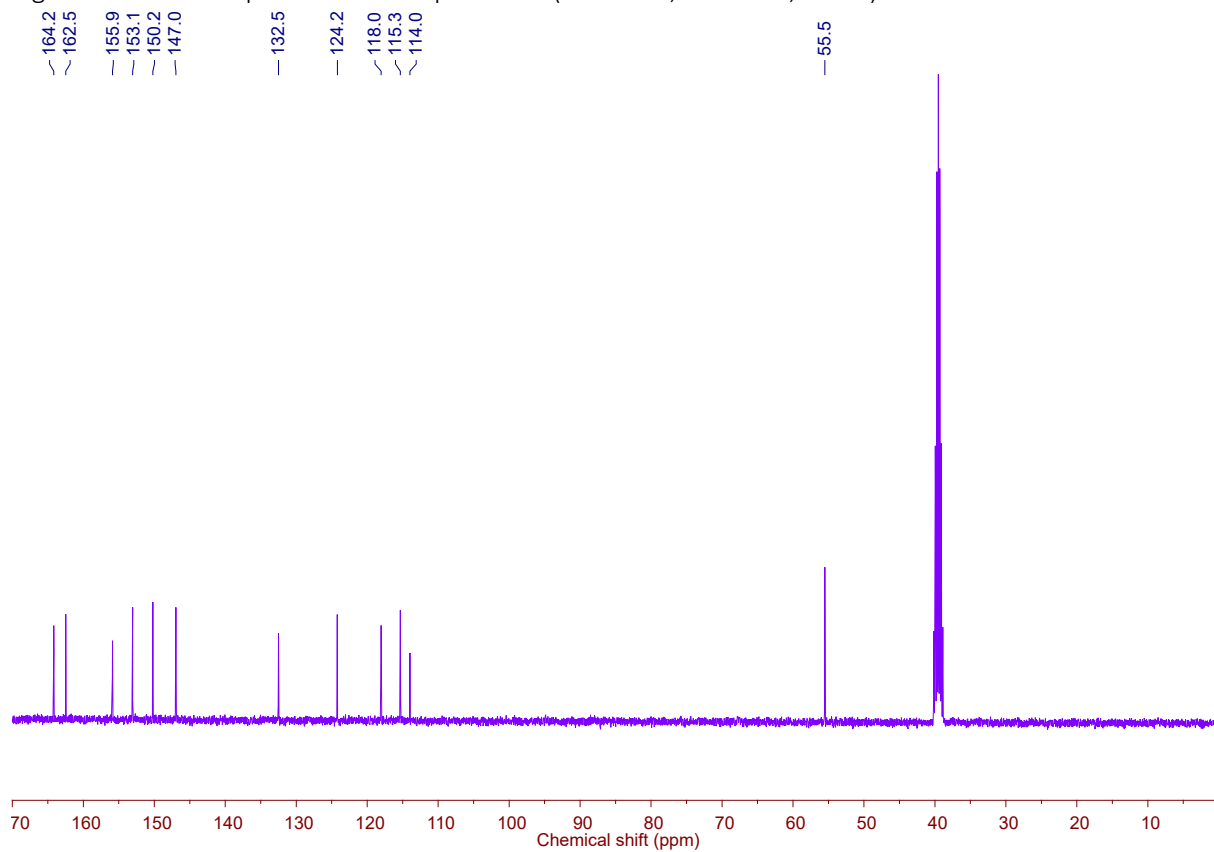


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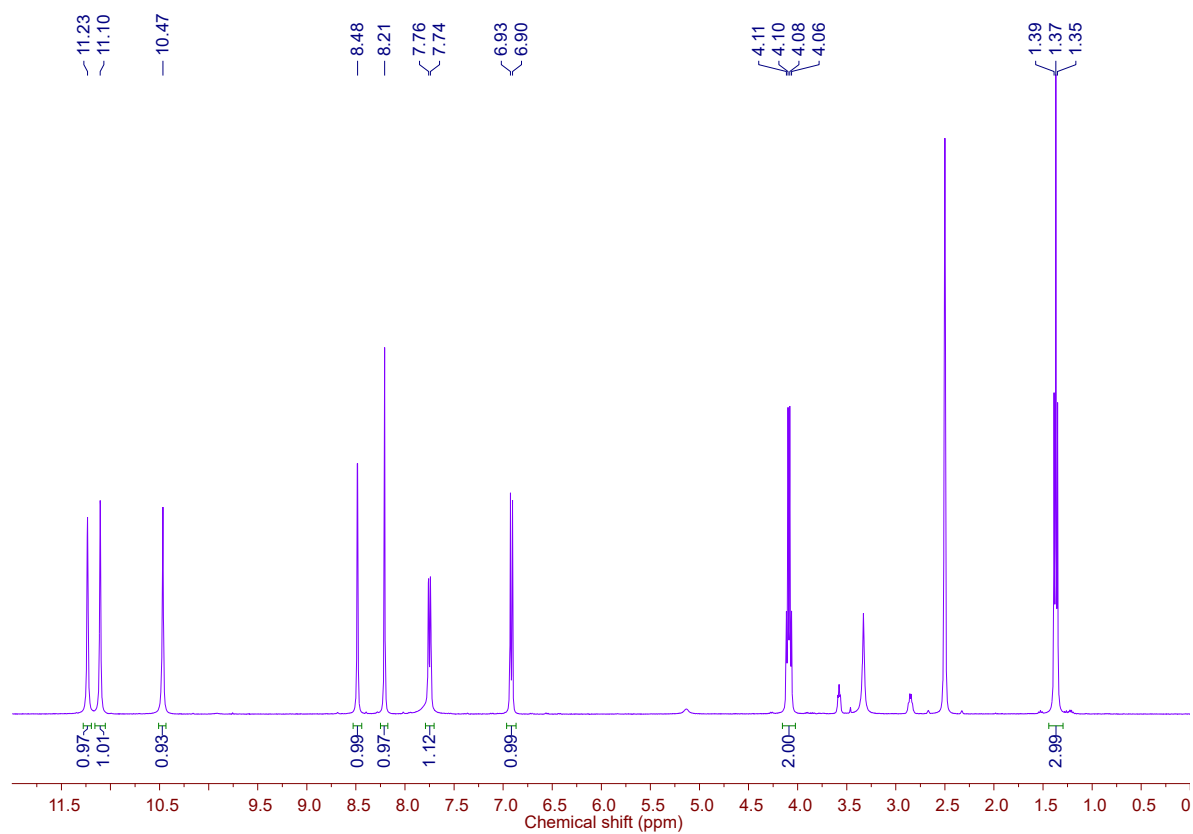


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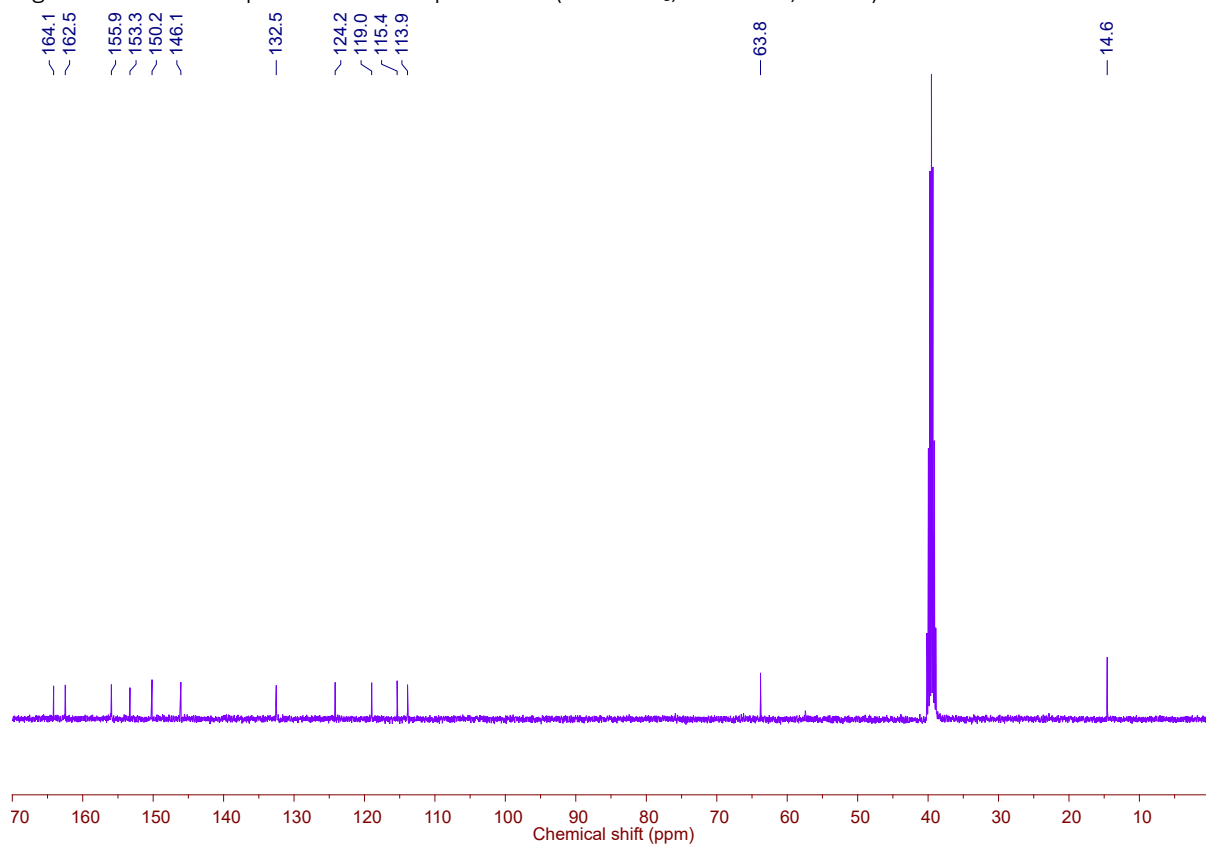


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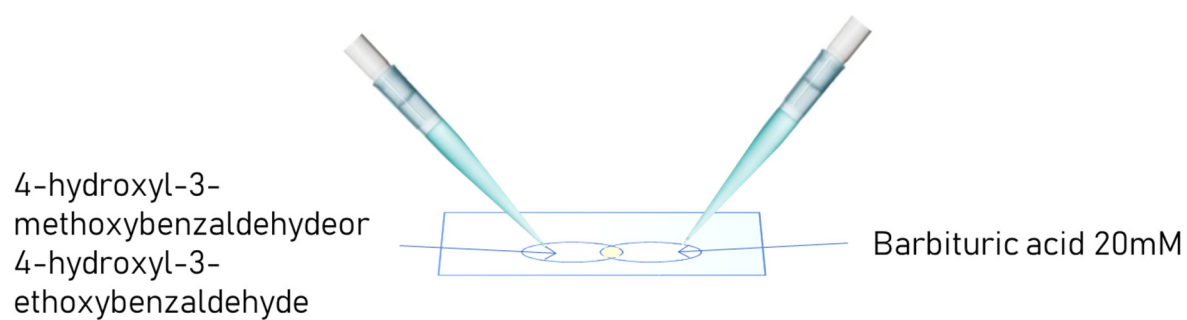


Figure S5 Arrangement of the drops of precursors transferred onto the glass slide.

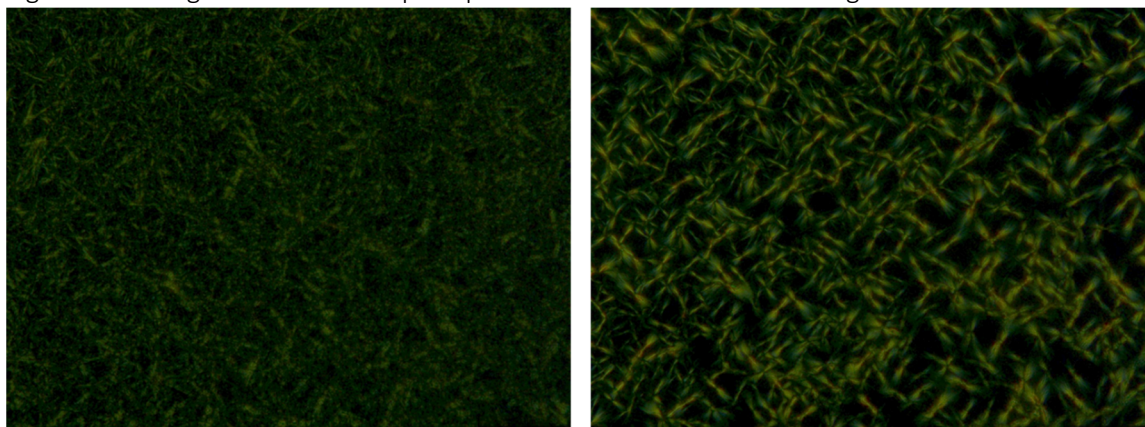


Figure S6. Optical microscopy images in polarized light of compound **3a** (left) and compound **3b** (right).

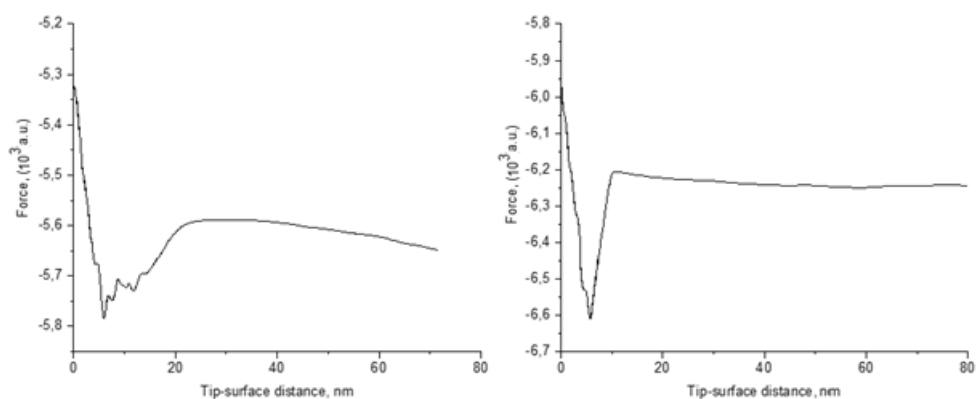


Figure S7. Force-distance curve of compound **3a** (left) and **3b** (right)