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## A novel turn-on Schiff-base fluorescent sensor for Aluminum (III) ions in living cells

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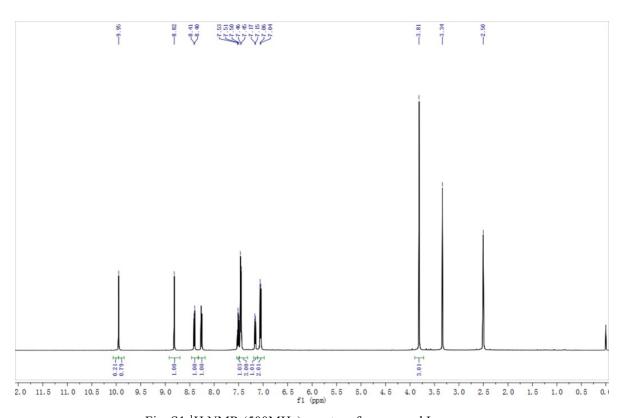


Fig. S1 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500MHz) spectra of compound L

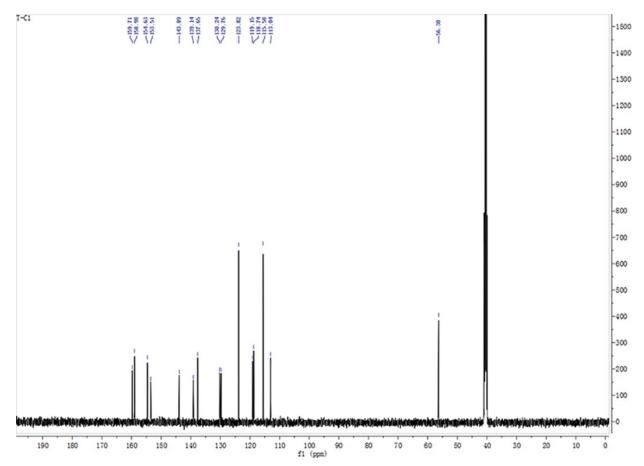


Fig.S2  $^{12}\text{C}$  NMR (500MHz) spectra of compound L

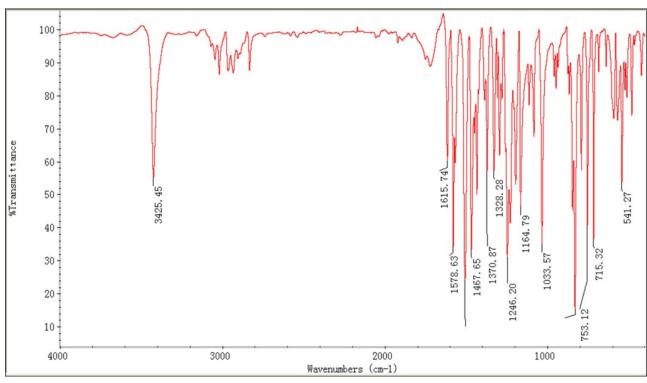


Fig. S3 IR spectra of compound L

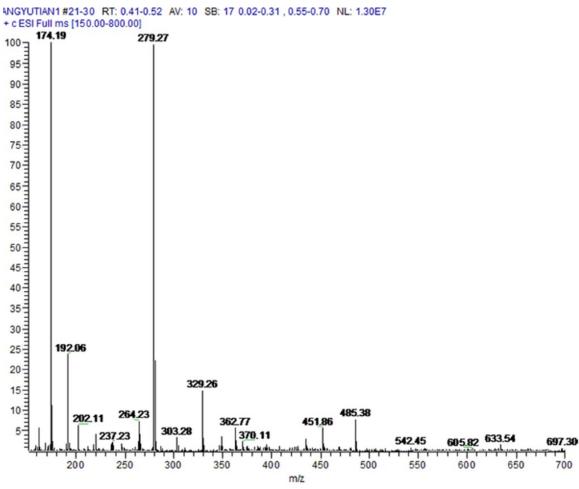


Fig. S4 The electrospray ionization mass spectra (ESI-MS) of compound L

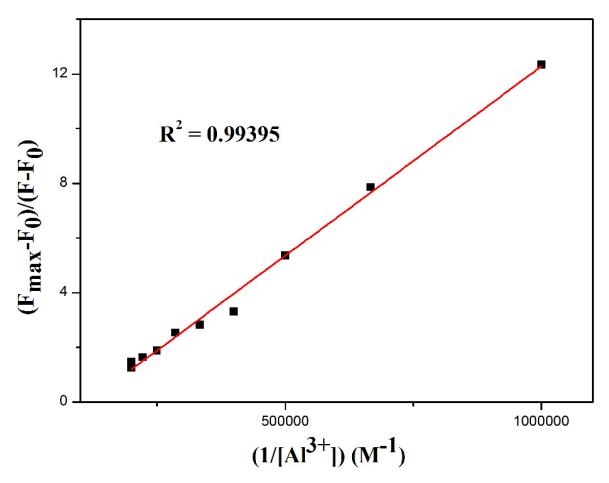


Fig. S5 Benesi-Hildebrand analysis of the emission changes for the complexation between L and  $Al^{3+}$ 

Table S1 The comparison of the sensor L with some other fluorescence surface sensors for the measurement of  $\mathsf{Al}^{3+}$ .

Fluorescence	Excitation	Working media	Detection	
surface sensor	wavelength(nm		limit(μmol/L)	
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[37]	364	СНЗОН	7.41	
[38]	330	C2H5OH/H2O	7.35	
[50]	330	C2115011/1120	7.55	
[39]	375	СНЗОН	0.525	
[40]	0.50	0110.011		
[40]	353	СНЗОН	0.5	
[41]	370	CH3CN/H2O	15.6	
The Sensor L	373	СНЗОН	0.12	