# Effect of a triplet to singlet state interaction on photofragmentation dynamics: <br> Highly excited states of HBr probed by VMI and REMPI as a case study 

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## Supporting information

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Fig. S1, Mass resolved REMPI spectra ( $\mathrm{H}^{79} \mathrm{Br}^{+},{ }^{79} \mathrm{Br}^{+}, \mathrm{H}^{81} \mathrm{Br}^{+},{ }^{81} \mathrm{Br}^{+}$and $\mathrm{H}^{+}$) covering spectra due to two-photon resonance excitations to the $6 \mathrm{p} \pi^{3} \Sigma^{-}\left(0^{+}, \mathrm{v}^{\prime}=0\right)\left(Q\right.$ lines and the $J^{\prime}=0$ and 2 lines for the $O$ and $S$ series, respectively) and $V^{1} \Sigma^{+}\left(\mathrm{v}^{\prime}=m+17\right)\left(Q\right.$ lines, $J^{\prime}=7$ and 8 only) states ( $84740-84860 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$ ). Bromine atomic ( $2+1$ ) REMPI lines are marked by asterisks (*). Lines due to the two isotopologues $\mathrm{H}^{79} \mathrm{Br}$ and $\mathrm{H}^{81} \mathrm{Br}$ in the $V$ state spectrum are marked by broken red $(i=79)$ and blue $(i=81)$ lines respectively

Fig. S2, Rotational energy levels derived from observed REMPI rotational peaks for the $6 p \pi^{3} \Sigma^{-}\left(\mathrm{v}^{\prime}=0\right)$ (blue) and the $V^{1} \Sigma^{+}\left(\mathrm{v}^{\prime}=m+17\right)($ red $)$ states $\left(\mathrm{H}^{79} \mathrm{Br}\right)$ along with estimated potential curves (blue solid curve and red dotted curve respectively). Near-resonance interactions for $J^{\prime}=7$ and 8 are indicated by black broken lines. The potential curve for the $6 p \pi$ state is based on that of the ground ionic state ${ }^{1}$ (see Fig. caption 1b), whereas the diabatic curve for the $V$ state is extrapolated from the $V$ part of the adiabatic $B$ potential (see Fig. 1b). The method of calculating the rotational energy levels is described in reference ${ }^{2}$


Fig. S1


Fig. S2

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