## The Molecular Behaviors of Pyridinium/Imidazolium Based Ionic Liquids and Toluene Binary Systems

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**Fig. S1.** The most stable optimized geometries for *trans*-EMIMTFSI (A), *trans*-2EMIMTFSI (B), *trans*-BpyTFSI (C), and *trans*-2BpyTFSI complexes (D). The interaction energies of each geometry was noted below the structure. Hydrogen bonds were denoted by dashed lines, and the corresponding distances of H···O, H···N and H···F were labelled.



**Fig. S2.** The most stable optimized geometries for *trans*-[TFSI]<sup>-</sup>-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> (A), *trans*-EMIMTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> (B), *trans*-2EMIMTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> (C), *trans*-BpyTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> (D), and *trans*-2BpyTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> (E) complexes. C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> was shown in a yellow shadow. For other information can be found in Fig. S1.



Fig. S3. The other stable optimized geometries for  $[EMIM]^+$ –C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>



**Fig. S4.** The other stable optimized geometries for  $[Bpy]^+-C_6H_5CH_3$ 



Fig. S5. The other stable optimized geometries for EMIMTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>



Figure S6. The other stable optimized geometries for BpyTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>



**Fig. S7.** ATR-FTIR spectra of pure EMIMTFSI, BpyTFSI, and  $C_6D_5CD_3$  in the range of 4000–2000 cm<sup>-1</sup>. The blue color region represents the main analysis region.



**Fig. S8.** Wavenumber shift of v(C-D) In the EMIMTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>5</sub>CD<sub>3</sub> and BpyTFSI-C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>5</sub>CD<sub>3</sub> systems



**Fig. S9.** Wavenumber shift of v(C-H) In the EMIMTFSI- $C_6D_5CD_3$  (A) and BpyTFSI- $C_6D_5CD_3$  (B) systems.