

## Supplementary Information

### Emergent hydrogen bonding in dense LiOD

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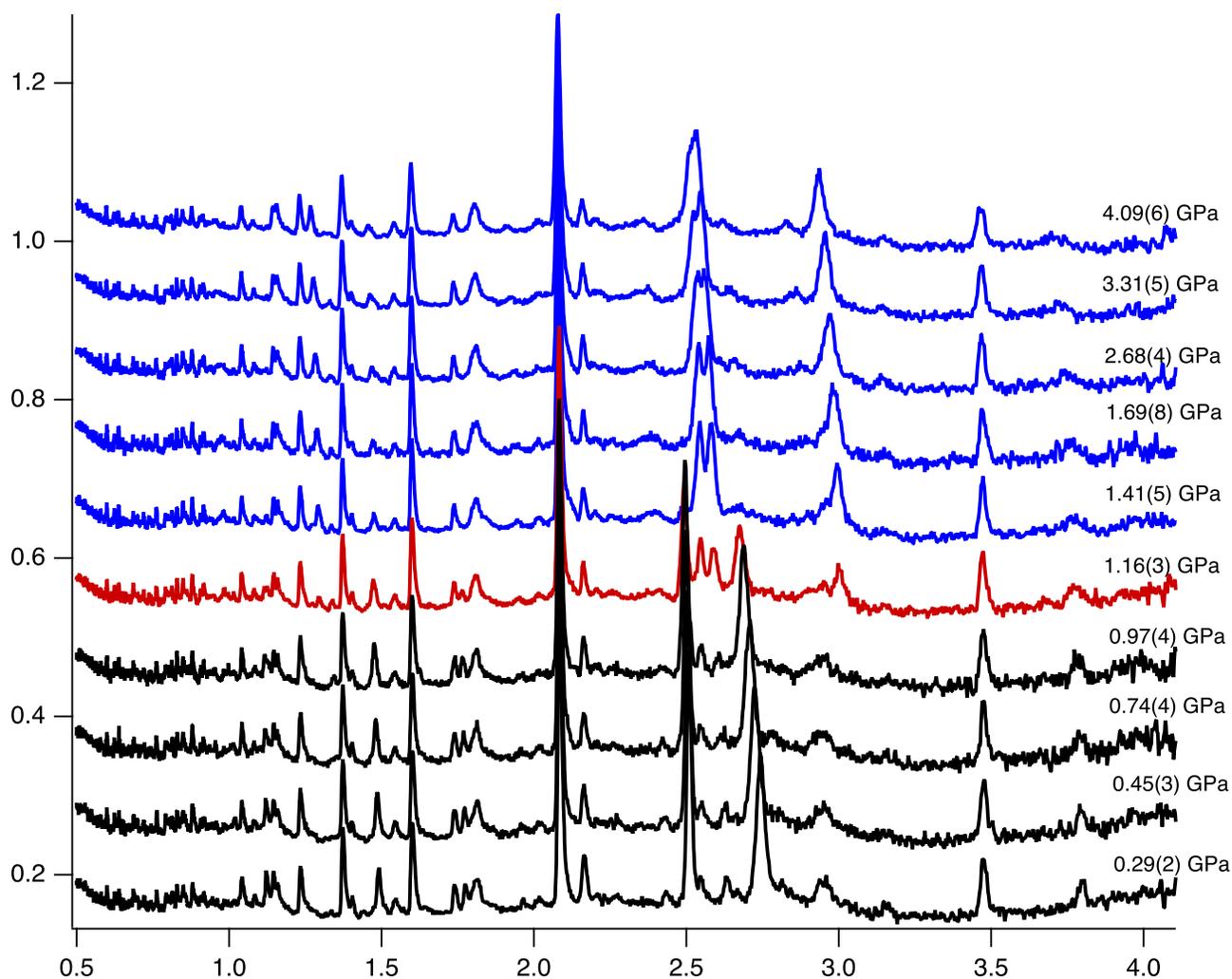


FIG. S1. High pressure data from LiOD collected on the PEARL diffractometer. Pressures, determined from the equation of state of the  $\text{Li}_2\text{CO}_3$ , are indicated above each profile. From bottom to top, pure phase-II data are shown in black (up to 0.97 GPa), mixed phase in red (1.16 GPa), and pure phase-III in blue (up to 4.09 GPa) (colour online).

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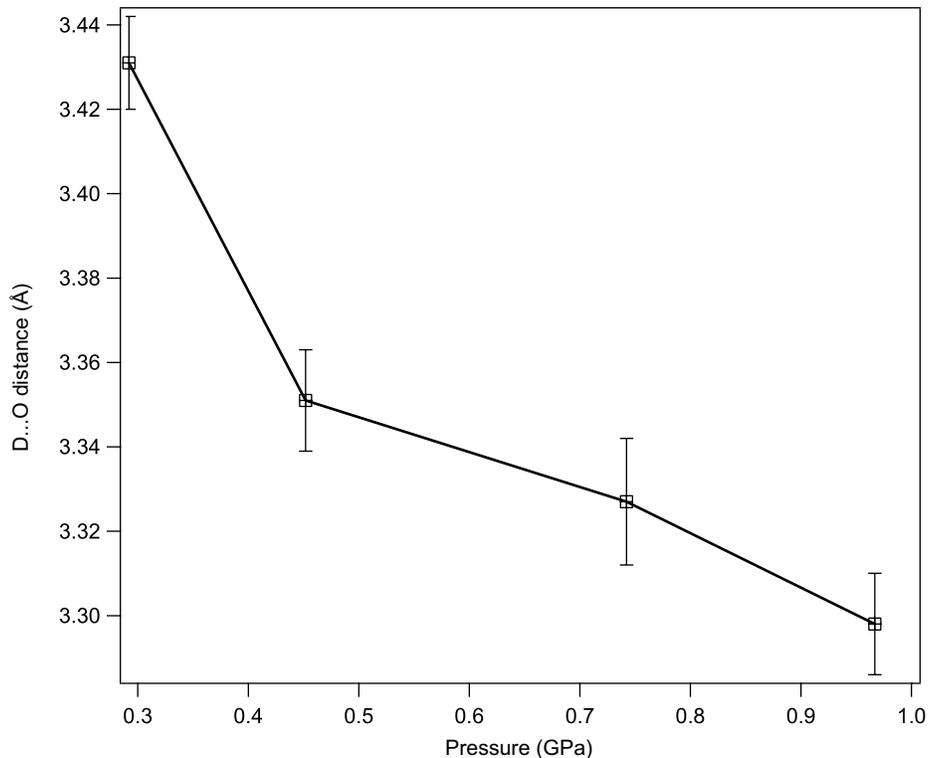


FIG. S2. Variation in D...O separation as a function of pressure in phase-II of LiOD.

### Strain calculation

The pseudo cubic axis length can be defined as  $a_o = \sqrt[3]{a^2c}$ , from the tetragonal lattice parameters ( $a$ ,  $c$ ) in each phase. Where the axes between the pseudo-cubic and tetragonal cells are defined to be orthogonal, the two principal strains are then defined as,  $\epsilon_1 = a/a_o - 1$  and  $\epsilon_3 = c/a_o - 1$ , and the total spontaneous strain can then be calculated as,  $\epsilon_s = \sqrt{\epsilon_1^2 + \epsilon_3^2}$ . The volumetric strain may be calculated similarly as  $V/a_o^3 - 1$ .

### Crystallographic data

TABLE S1. Crystallographic data for the 300 K compression of phase-II of LiOD determined from Rietveld analysis of the PEARL neutron powder diffraction data. All refinements are performed using the  $P4/nmm$  tetragonal space-group with Li: Wyckoff 2a ( $3/4, 1/4, 0$ ), O and D: Wyckoff 2c ( $1/4, 1/4, z$ ). The atomic coordinates were not refined for the 1.16(3) GPa mixed phase pressure point, due to instability, and are therefore omitted.

Pressure (GPa)	0.29(2)	0.45(3)	0.74(4)	0.97(4)	1.16(3)
$a$ -axis (Å)	3.5435(3)	3.53731(12)	3.53097(14)	3.5245(2)	3.5207(2)
$c$ -axis (Å)	4.3211(7)	4.2578(8)	4.2011(9)	4.1437(9)	4.10204
$V_{cell}$ (Å <sup>3</sup> )	54.257(11)	53.276(10)	52.378(12)	51.472(12)	50.845(14)
Oz	0.191(2)	0.184(2)	0.201(3)	0.206(2)	-
Dz	0.397(2)	0.397(2)	0.409(2)	0.410(2)	-

TABLE S2. Crystallographic data for the 300 K compression of phase-III of LiOD determined from Rietveld analysis of the PEARL neutron powder diffraction data. All refinements performed using the  $I4_1acd$  tetragonal space-group with Li: Wyckoff 8a (0,  $1/4$ ,  $3/8$ ), and Wyckoff 8b (0,  $1/4$ ,  $1/8$ ), O and D: Wyckoff 16e (x, 0,  $1/4$ ). The atomic coordinates were not refined for the 1.16(3) GPa mixed phase pressure point, due to instability, and are therefore omitted.

Pressure (GPa)	1.16(3)	1.41(5)	1.69(8)	2.68(4)	3.31(5)	4.09(6)
$a$ -axis (Å)	5.9988(9)	5.9831(7)	5.9616(7)	5.9334(6)	5.9011(6)	5.8547(6)
$c$ -axis (Å)	10.161(2)	10.14925(13)	10.13193(14)	10.09916(13)	10.06056(12)	10.0161(2)
$V_{cell}$ (Å <sup>3</sup> )	365.65(11)	363.32(8)	360.09(8)	355.54(7)	350.33(6)	343.32(7)
O $x$	-	0.508(2)	0.510(2)	0.5109(13)	0.5102(12)	0.5131(12)
D $x$	-	0.8209(12)	0.821(2)	0.8274(12)	0.8254(12)	0.8218(14)

### Equation of state

A second order Birch-Murnaghan equation of state was fitted to the pressure-volume data for phase-II and -III, where  $V_0$  is the unit-cell volume at zero pressure, and  $K_0$  is the bulk modulus:

$$P = \frac{3}{2}K_0 \left[ \left( \frac{V_0}{V} \right)^{7/3} - \left( \frac{V_0}{V} \right)^{5/3} \right]$$

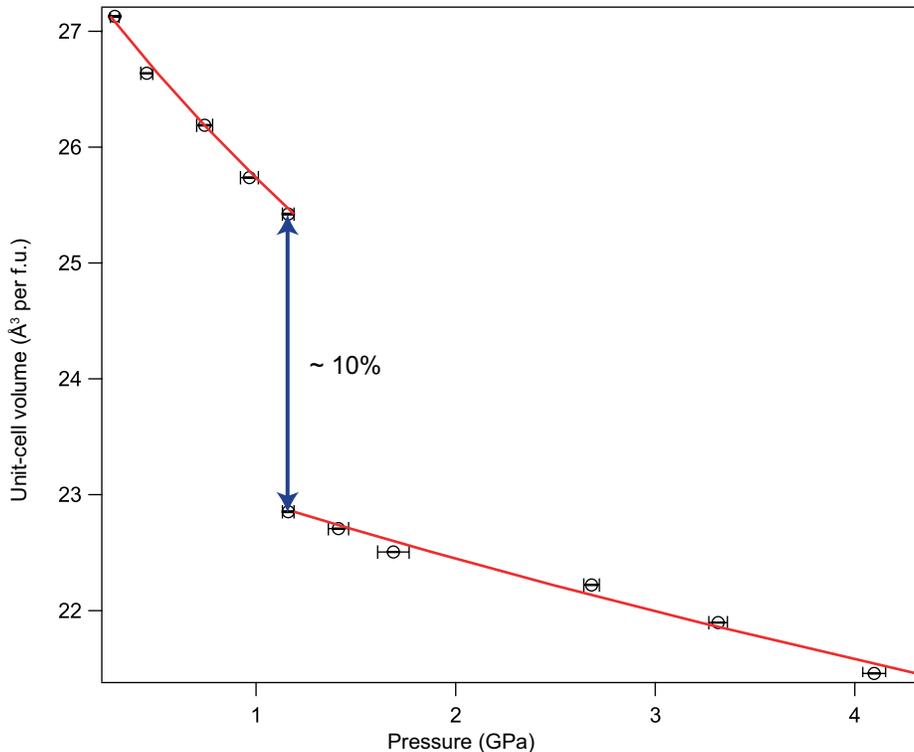


FIG. S3. Unit-cell volume (per formula-unit) vs. pressure for phase-II and phase-III of LiOD. A second-order Birch-Murnaghan equation of state was fitted to each phase, the parameters of which are provided in the main manuscript, and are shown as red lines over the data points.

## Hydrogen bonding networks

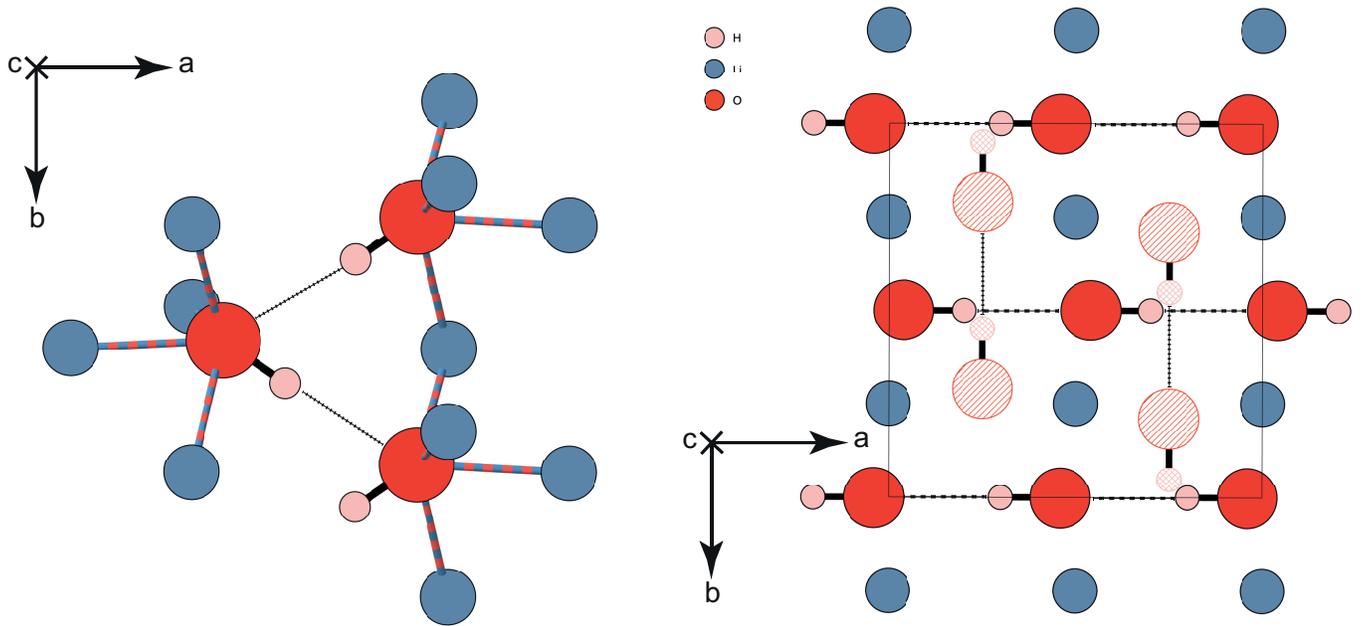


FIG. S4. Hydrogen bonding networks for (left) the monoclinic ( $P2_1/c$ ) structure of LiOD based on the low temperature structure of NaOD and (right) the tetragonal ( $I4_1/acd$ ) structure, with the Li-O bonds omitted for clarity. Dashed lines represent hydrogen bonds in each case. The monoclinic structure forms zig-zag chains along the  $b$ -axis, forming a canted antiferroelectric-type arrangement between lines of oxygen atoms. The tetragonal ( $I4_1/acd$ ) structure forms linear hydrogen bonds along the  $a$ - and  $b$ -axes, alternating between planes along the  $c$ -axis. The ordering is antiferroelectric like.