

Supporting Information

Oxygen substitution at unbonded S site for excellent wet-air stability and lithium compatibility of Br-rich Li-argyrodite solid-state electrolytes

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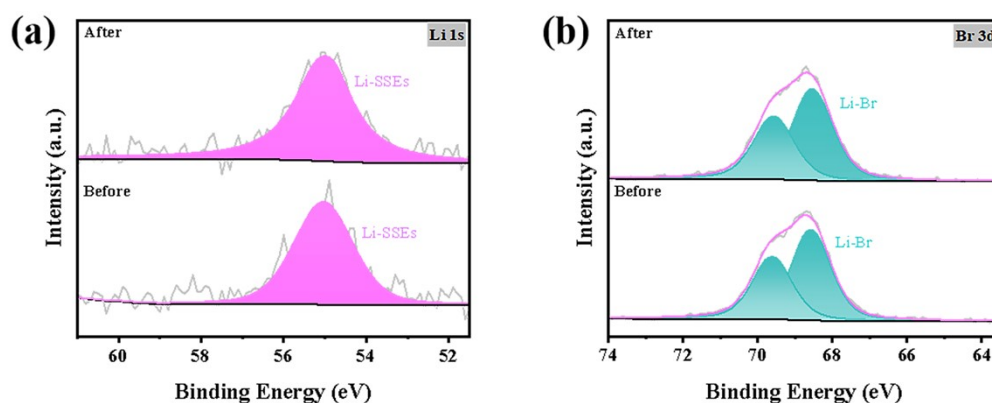


Fig. S1 XPS spectra of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ ($x = 0, 0.15$) SSEs before and after O-doping. a) Li 1s. b) Br 3d.

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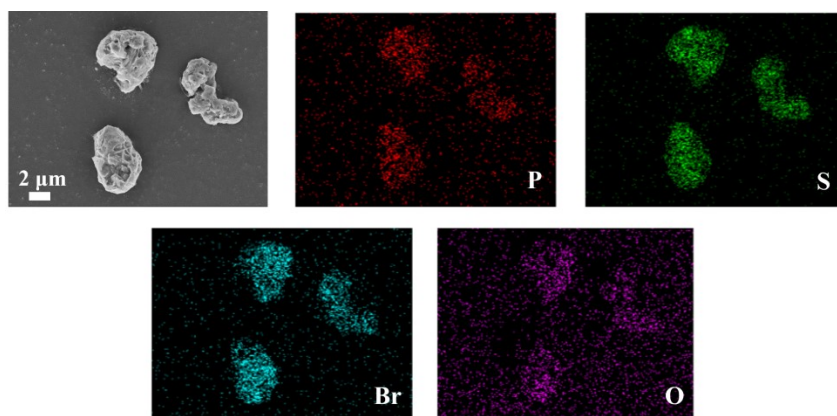


Fig. S2 SEM and EDS mapping of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ (x = 0.05) electrolyte.

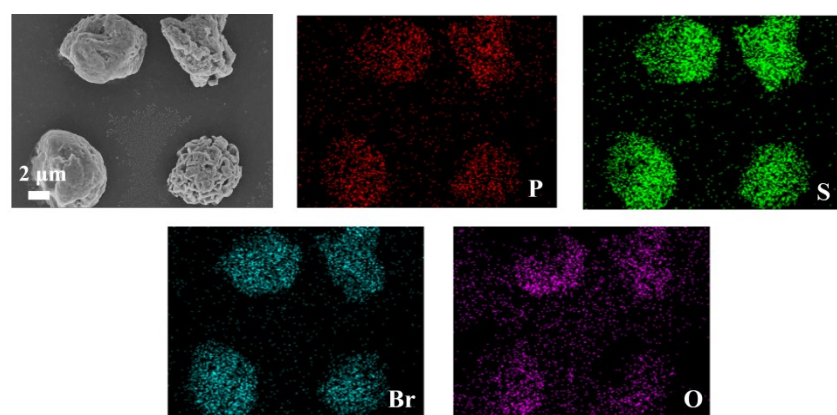


Fig. S3 SEM and EDS mapping of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ (x = 0.1) electrolyte.

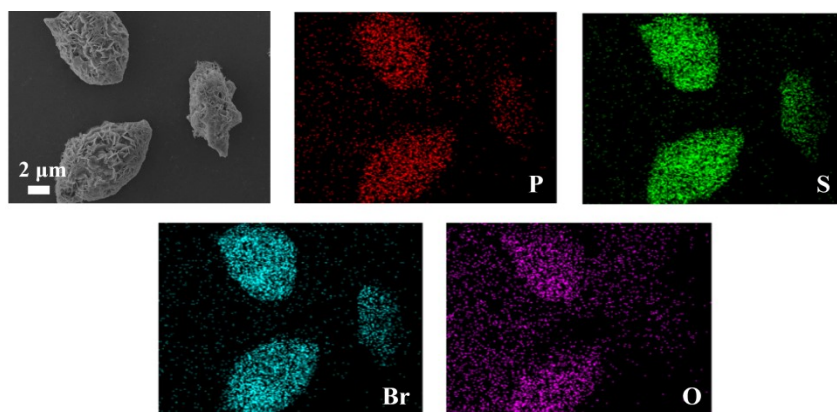


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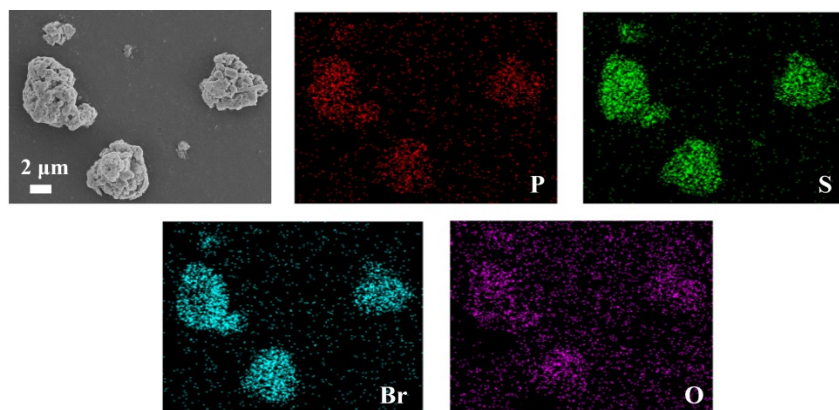


Fig. S5 SEM and EDS mapping of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ (x = 0.25) electrolyte.

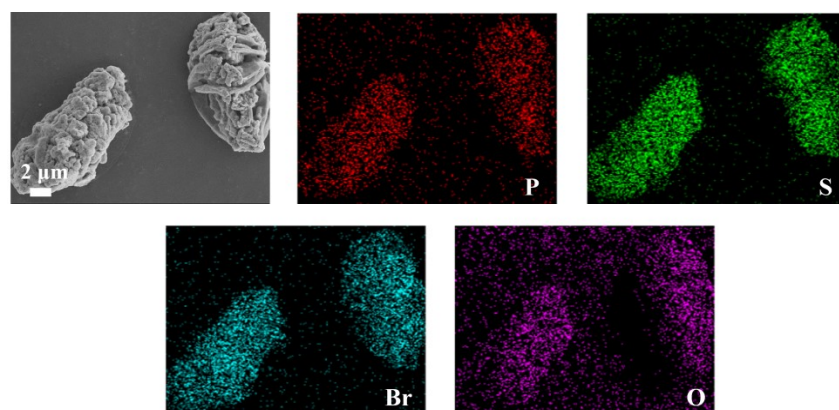


Fig. S6 SEM and EDS mapping of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ (x = 0.3) electrolyte.

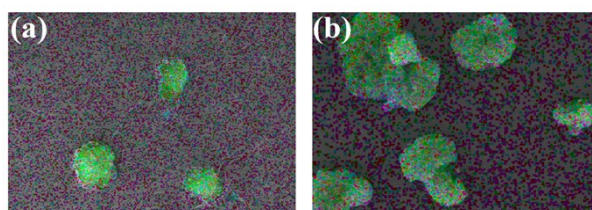


Fig. S7 EDS layered maps of (a) $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ and (b) $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.45}\text{O}_{0.15}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ electrolytes.

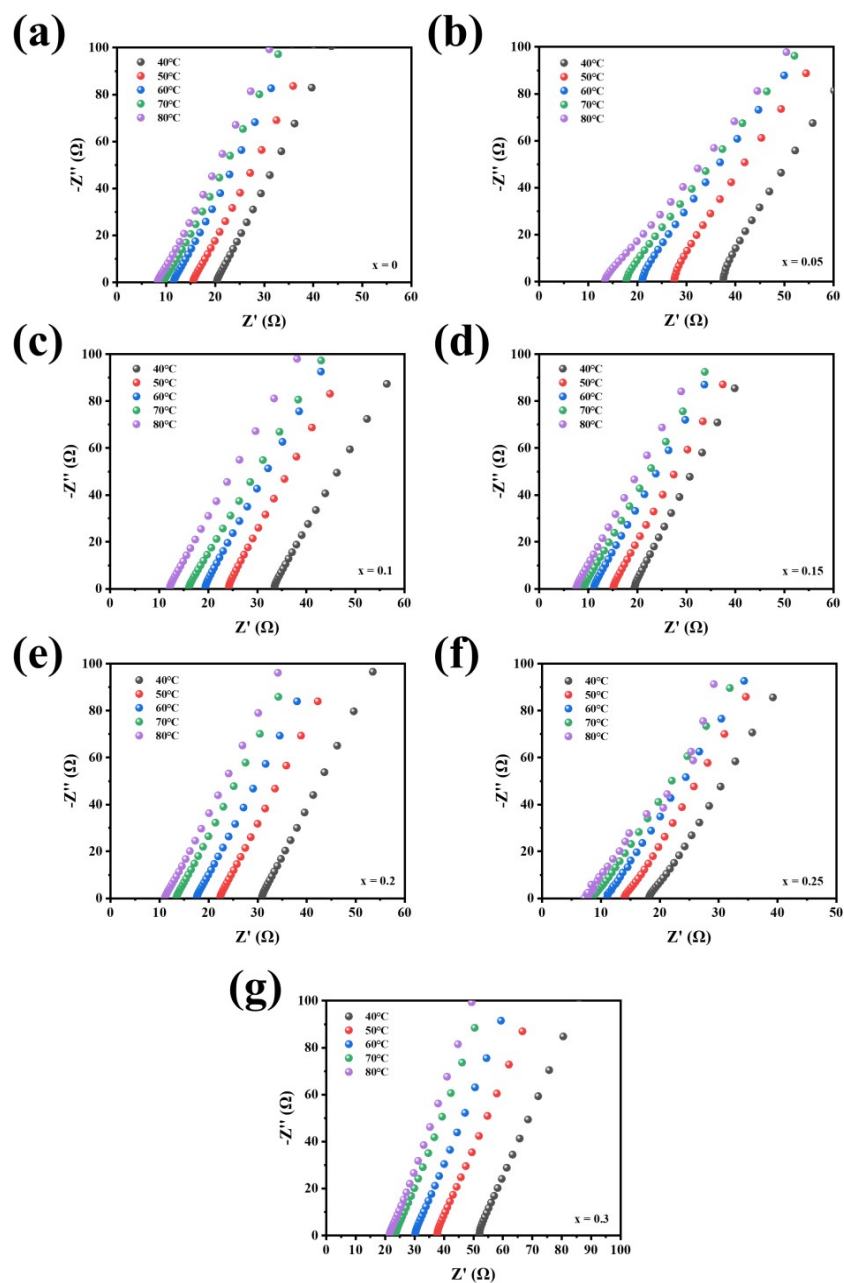


Fig. S8 Nyquist plots of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ electrolytes in different temperature ranges (40-80 °C), where (a) $x = 0$, (b) $x = 0.05$, (c) $x = 0.1$, (d) $x = 0.15$, (e) $x = 0.2$, (f) $x = 0.25$, (g) $x = 0.3$.

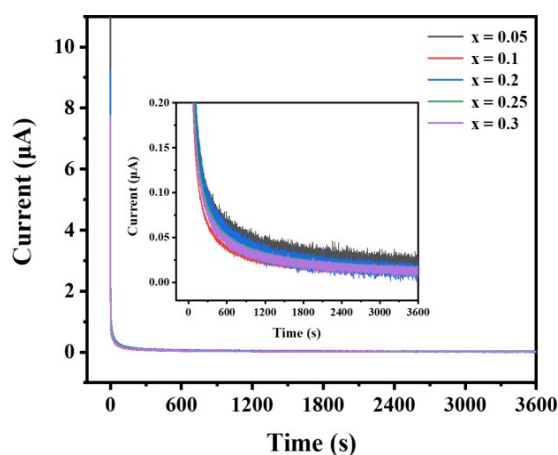


Fig. S9 DC polarization curves for $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ ($x = 0.05, 0.1, 0.2, 0.25, 0.3$) electrolytes.

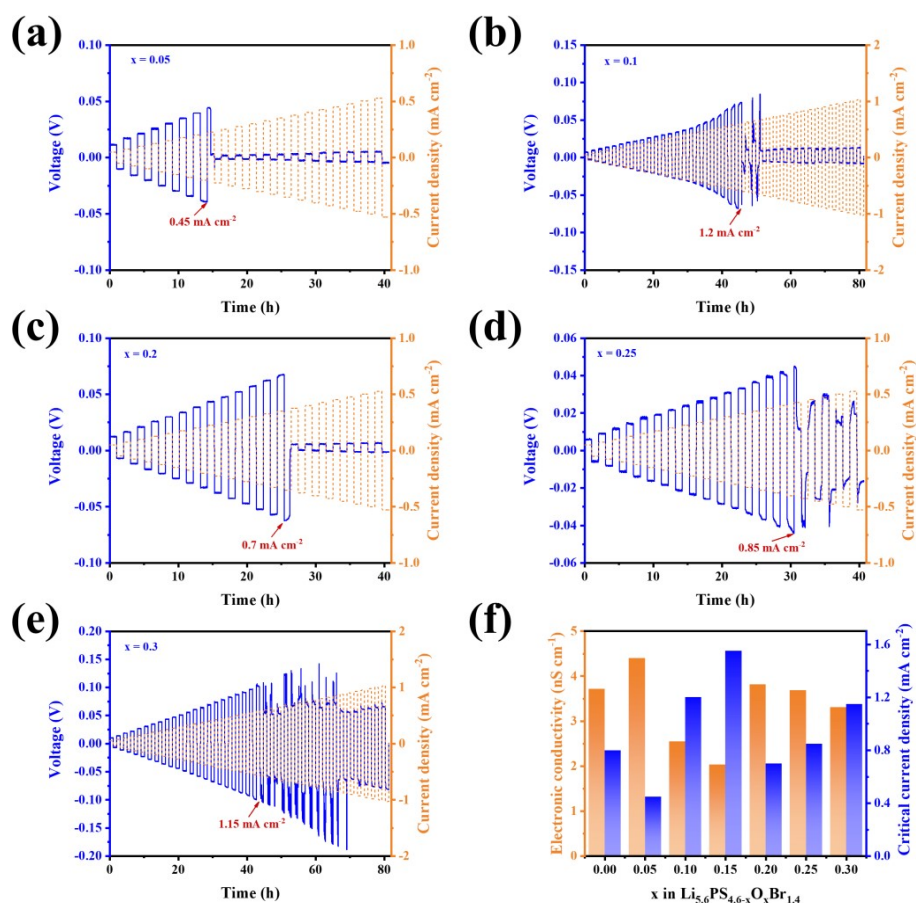


Fig. S10 Constant-current cycling of a Li symmetric cell using the $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ electrolytes at room temperature with progressively increasing current density, where (a) $x = 0.05$, (b) $x = 0.1$, (c) $x = 0.2$, (d) $x = 25$, and (e) $x = 0.3$; (f) CCD and electronic conductivity as a function of different O substitution concentrations.

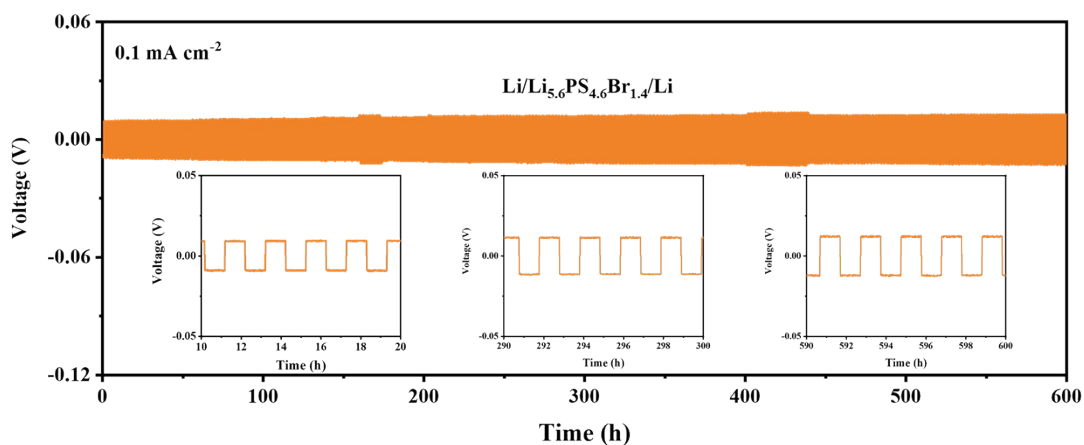


Fig. S11 Constant-current cycling at $0.1 \text{ mA cm}^{-2}/0.1 \text{ mAh cm}^{-2}$ of a Li symmetric cell using $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ electrolyte.

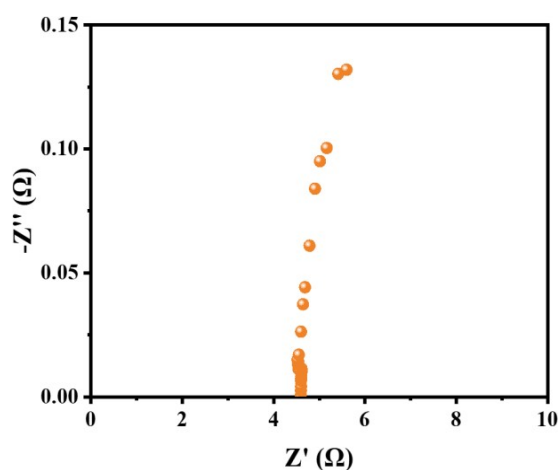


Fig. S12 Nyquist plots of $\text{Li/Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}/\text{Li}$ symmetric cells after cycling at 0.5 mA cm^{-2} for 10 h at room temperature.

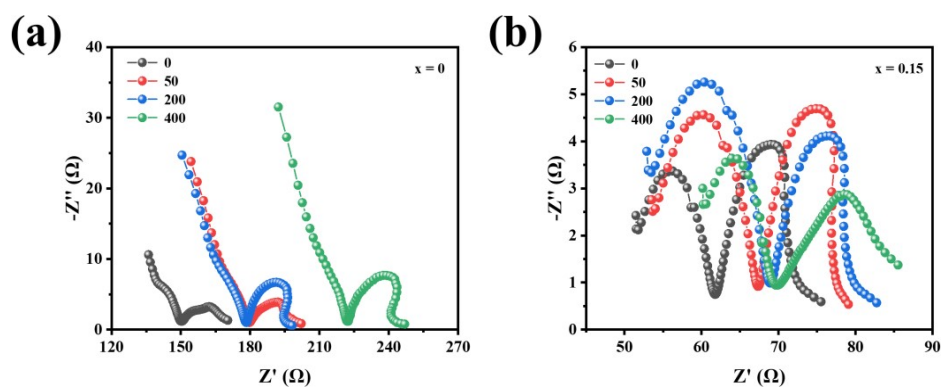


Fig. S13 Changes in impedance spectra of (a) $\text{Li/Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}/\text{Li}$ and (b) $\text{Li/Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.45}\text{O}_{0.15}\text{Br}_{1.4}/\text{Li}$ symmetric cells after different durations of lithium stripping/plating at 0.1 mA cm^{-2} .

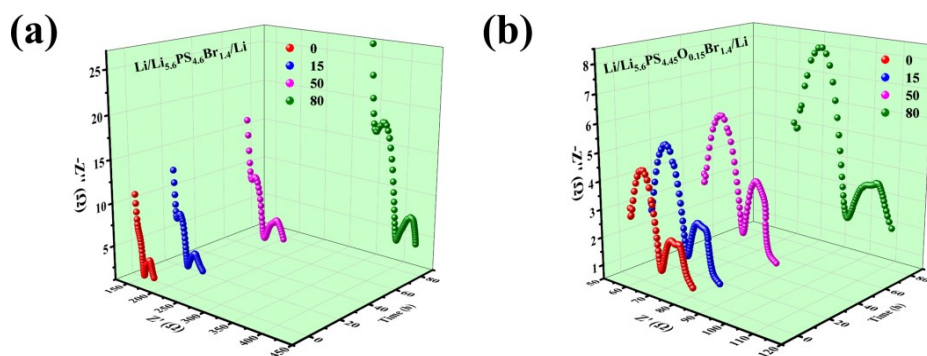


Fig. S14 Impedance spectra of Li symmetric cell consisting of (a) $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ and (b) $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.45}\text{O}_{0.15}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ electrolytes at room temperature with storage time.

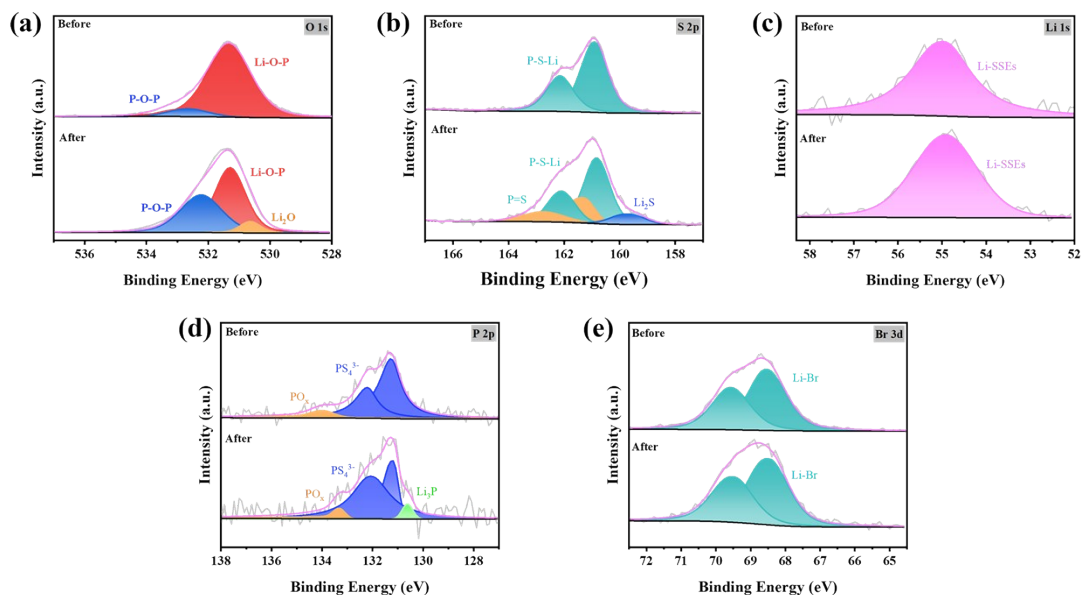


Fig. S15 XPS deconvolution spectra of $\text{Li}/\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.45}\text{O}_{0.15}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ interface before and after cycling for 80 h at 0.2 mA cm^{-2} . a) O 1s. b) S 2p. c) Li 1s. d) P 2p. e) Br 3d.

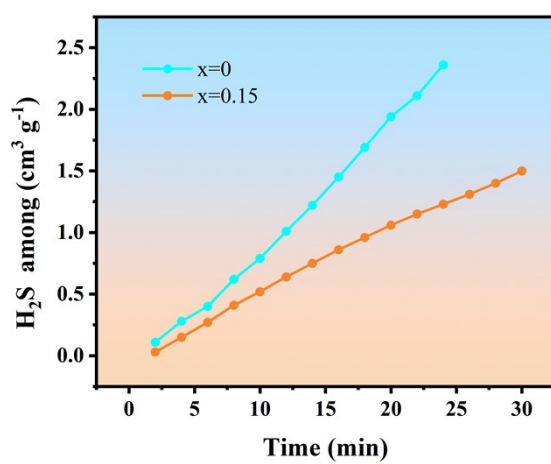


Fig. S16 H₂S content released from Li_{5.6}PS_{4.6}Br_{1.4} and Li_{5.6}PS_{4.45}O_{0.15}Br_{1.4} electrolytes after exposure to wet-air at 30% humidity for 30 min.

Table S1 Crystallographic data (atomic coordinates, occupancy, and Beq) of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}$, obtained from Rietveld refinement of neutron diffraction data.

$\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ structure from neutron diffraction data (space group F-43m); $\lambda_1 = 1.8838 \text{ \AA}$; $a = 9.978659 \text{ \AA}$; Fit residuals (R_{wp} , R_{exp} , R_p): 4.008%, 4.108%, 3.110%;						
Atom	Wyckoff site	x	y	z	Occ.	Beq
Li1 (T5)	48h	0.3164	0.0262	0.7045	0.18554	0.91907
Li2 (T2)	48h	0.2658	0.0495	0.6630	0.12510	0.86720
P1	4b	0.0000	0.0000	0.5000	1.00000	1.81500
S1	16e	0.1200	-0.1200	0.6027	1.00000	3.00000
S2	4d	0.2500	0.2500	0.7500	0.41332	2.72668
S3	4a	0.0000	0.0000	1.0000	0.0520	0.07156
Br1	4d	0.2500	0.2500	0.7500	0.58668	0.30339
Br2	4a	0.0000	0.0000	1.0000	0.95881	0.22855

Table S2 Crystallographic data (atomic coordinates, occupancy, and Beq) of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.45}\text{O}_{0.15}\text{Br}_{1.4}$, obtained from Rietveld refinement of neutron diffraction data.

$\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.45}\text{O}_{0.15}\text{Br}_{1.4}$ structure from neutron diffraction data (space group F-43m); $\lambda_1 = 1.8838 \text{ \AA}$; $a = 9.979071 \text{ \AA}$; Fit residuals (R_{wp} , R_{exp} , R_p): 4.867%, 3.947%, 3.827%;						
Atom	Wyckoff site	x	y	z	Occ.	Beq
Li1 (T5)	48h	0.2895	0.0217	0.67928	0.22239	1.49954
Li2 (T2)	48h	0.2580	0.0495	0.6635	0.14520	0.85430
P1	4b	0.0000	0.0000	0.5000	1.00000	1.86818
S1	16e	0.1200	-0.1200	0.59634	1.00000	0.29360
S2	4d	0.2500	0.2500	0.7500	0.20398	2.67166
S3	4a	0.0000	0.0000	1.0000	0.34382	0.00000
Br1	4d	0.2500	0.2500	0.7500	0.68167	2.67166
Br2	4a	0.0000	0.0000	1.0000	0.65618	0.00000
O1	4d	0.2500	0.2500	0.7500	0.11435	2.67166

Table S3 Table of elemental At % occupancy of $\text{Li}_{5.6}\text{PS}_{4.6-x}\text{O}_x\text{Br}_{1.4}$ ($0 \leq x \leq 0.3$) at different oxygen doping levels.

Distribution of total number of spectra							
Different oxygen doping (x)	0	0.05	0.1	0.15	0.2	0.25	0.3
O(At%)	0.12	0.7	1.43	2.14	2.86	3.59	4.29
S(At%)	67	65	64.29	63.57	62.87	62.14	61.82
P(At%)	15	14.3	14.4	13.98	14.2	14.66	14.68
Br(At%)	17.88	20	19.88	20.31	20.07	19.61	19.21
Total amount	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
O/S	0.0067	0.0108	0.0222	0.0337	0.0454	0.0578	0.0694

Table S4 Summary of the sulfide electrolyte-based Li-Li symmetric cell performance.

Name of SSEs	CCD (mA cm ⁻²)	Plating Current Density (mA cm ⁻²)	Cut-off Capacity (mAh cm ⁻²)	Cycling Time (h)	Test Temperature (°C)	Reference
Li_{5.6}PS_{4.45}O_{0.15}Br_{1.4}	1.55	0.1	0.1	600	25	This work
		0.5	0.5	~400	25	
Li _{5.5} PS _{4.425} O _{0.075} Cl _{1.5}	-	0.4	0.2	150	25	1
Li _{6.03} P _{0.97} Se _{0.03} S ₅ Cl	0.6	0.1	-	185	25	2
Li _{6.04} P _{0.98} Bi _{0.02} S _{4.97} O _{0.03} Cl	1.1	0.1	0.1	600	25	3
		1	1	200	25	
Li _{5.6} PS _{4.6} Cl _{1.0} Br _{0.4}	0.35	0.2	-	500	25	4
Li _{5.95} Zn _{0.025} PS _{4.975} O _{0.025} Cl	0.55	0.4	-	100	25	5
Li _{5.7} Zn _{0.15} PS _{4.85} O _{0.15} Br	0.78	0.78	0.39	140	25	6
LPSScO(0.15)-22.5LiS	0.6	0.2	-	300	25	7
		0.3	-	200	25	
Li ₇ P _{2.88} Nb _{0.12} S _{10.7} O _{0.3}	1.16	0.2	0.2	300	25	8
Li _{6.125} P _{0.875} Sn _{0.125} S ₅ Br	0.8	0.1	0.1	400	25	9
Li _{6.3} P _{0.7} Sn _{0.3} S _{4.4} O _{0.6} I	0.75	0.2	0.1	180	25	10
Li _{5.6} PS _{4.6} Cl _{1.3} I _{0.1}	1.74	0.1		500	24	11
		0.1	0.1	3000		
Li _{6.16} P _{0.92} In _{0.08} S _{4.88} O _{0.12} Cl	1.4	0.5	0.5	500	25	12
		1	1	400		

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