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## ESI - New tetrabutylphosphonium organic ionic plastic crystals incorporating borate anions

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## <sup>1</sup>H, <sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H}, <sup>11</sup>B, and <sup>31</sup>P{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectra of sodium and [P<sub>4444</sub>]<sup>+</sup> salts of the *bis*(butane-1,4-dioxy)borate ([B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>]<sup>-</sup>) and *tetrakis*(pyrazolyl)borate ([B(pyr)<sub>4</sub>]<sup>-</sup>) anions.

Na[B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>]







Figure S2  $^{13}C{^{1}H}$  NMR spectrum of Na[B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>] in DMSO- $d_6$ 



Figure S3 <sup>11</sup>B NMR spectrum of Na[B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>] in DMSO- $d_6$ 

Na[B(pyr)<sub>4</sub>]



Figure S4 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of Na[B(pyr)<sub>4</sub> in DMSO- $d_6$ 



Figure S5  $^{13}C{^1H}$  NMR spectrum of Na[B(pyr)<sub>4</sub> in DMSO- $d_6$ 



Figure S6 <sup>11</sup>B NMR spectrum of Na[B(pyr)<sub>4</sub> in DMSO- $d_6$ 

## [P<sub>4444</sub>][B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>]



Figure S7  ${}^{1}$ H NMR spectrum of [P<sub>4444</sub>][B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>] in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



Figure S8  ${}^{13}C{}^{1}H$  NMR spectrum of  $[P_{4444}][B(bdo)_2]$  in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



Figure S9 <sup>11</sup>B NMR spectrum of [P<sub>4444</sub>][B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>] in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



Figure S10  $^{31}P\{^{1}H\}$  NMR spectrum of  $[P_{4444}][B(bdo)_{2}]$  in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



Figure S11 ESI-MS of [P<sub>4444</sub>][B(bdo)<sub>2</sub>]

## [P<sub>4444</sub>][B(pyr)<sub>4</sub>]



Figure S12  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of  $[\text{P}_{4444}][\text{B}(\text{pyr})_4]$  in  $\text{CDCl}_3$ 



Figure S13  $^{13}C{^{1}H}$  NMR spectrum of  $[P_{4444}][B(pyr)_4]$  in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



Figure S14  $^{11}$ B NMR spectrum of  $[P_{4444}][B(pyr)_4]$  in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



Figure S15  ${}^{31}P{}^{1}H$  NMR spectrum of  $[P_{4444}][B(pyr)_4]$  in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



**Figure S16** ESI-MS of [P<sub>4444</sub>][B(pyr)<sub>4</sub>]