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Electronic Supplementary Information

Photoactive p-Type PbS as a Counter Electrode for Quantum Dot-

Sensitized Solar Cells

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Electronic Supplementary Information for:

- (S1) the influence of the SISCR cycle number on the PbS electrode performance in QDSSCs;
- (S2) the incident photon to current conversion efficiency of the PbS- and CuS-

QDSSCs.



Fig. S1 Photocurrent-voltage characteristics of QDSSCs assembled with the $TiO_2/CuInS_2$ -QDs/CdS/ZnS photoanode and the PbS counter electrodes of varying SISCR cycles (indicated in the parentheses) under simulated solar illumination at 100 mW cm⁻².

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Fig. S2 Incident photon to current conversion efficiency (IPCE) of the PbS- and CuS-QDSSCs. The spectra were measured by the DC mode method, using an IPCE analyzer (Enlitech QE-R 3011, Taiwan).