## **Supplementary Information**

## Smart micelle@polydopamine core-shell nanoparticles for highly effective chemo-photothermal combination therapy

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**Figure S1.** Photothermal heating curves of Dox-M@PDA and Dox-M@PDA-Btz at various power intensities with PDA concentration at 0.36 mg/mL.



**Figure S2.** Representative H&E staining of various organs of tumor-bearing BALB/c mice after treatment with saline, Dox+Btz, Dox-M@PDA-Btz or Dox-M@PDA-Btz + NIR.