Supporting information for

Enhancement of anammox performance in a novel non-woven fabric membrane bioreactor (nMBR)

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Fig. S1. The standard curves of anammox bacteria.



Fig. S2. (a) The amplification curves of cMBR and nMBR on day 60.



Fig. S2. (b) The amplification curves of cMBR and nMBR on day 120.



Fig. S3. The effluent SS of cMBR and nMBR during 120-day operation.



Fig. S4. (a) FISH image of total cells in an aggregate of cMBR on day 120; **(b)** FISH image of anammox bacteria in the same aggregate of cMBR on day 120; **(c)** FISH image of total cells in an aggregate of nMBR on day 120; **(d)** FISH image of anammox bacteria in the same aggregate of nMBR on day 120.