

## Supplementary information for

Electric dipole moment-assisted charge extraction and effective defect passivation in PH1000-based perovskite solar cells by incorporating PCBM and TIPD into CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub>PbI<sub>3</sub> layer

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### 1. First-principles calculations

Electronic structure calculations are performed with the density functional theory as implemented in the Vienna ab initio simulation package,<sup>1,2</sup> employing projected augmented wave potentials to describe the atomic core electrons and a plane wave basis set with a kinetic energy cutoff of 480 eV to expand the Kohn–Sham electronic states. For the exchange and correlation functional, we used the generalized gradient approximation (GGA) in the Perdew–Burke–Ernzerhof (PBE) form.<sup>3</sup> In order to account for interactions between CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub>PbI<sub>3</sub> and TIPD, a periodic slab model was constructed. A 2 × 2 (17.6 Å × 17.6 Å) tetragonal CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub>PbI<sub>3</sub> (001) surface with 5 atomic layers was cut from the optimized bulk geometry in a previous study.<sup>4</sup> The TIPD molecule was adsorbed on one of the surfaces, and a 20 Å vacuum layer was added along the *z* direction. The Brillouin zone sampling was restricted to the  $\Gamma$  point due to the large supercell size, which consists of 259 atoms in total. The DFT-D3 method with Becke–Jonson damping<sup>5</sup> was adopted to include van der Waals interactions. During structural optimization, the three atomic layers of CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub>PbI<sub>3</sub> far away from the TIPD were fixed, and the other two atomic layers of CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub>PbI<sub>3</sub> and the TIPD were relaxed until the residual forces were less than 0.05 eV Å<sup>-1</sup>. Static calculations based on the optimized geometry were performed for the charge density analysis.

In addition, an isolated MA molecule was optimized using the B3LYP<sup>6,7</sup> exchange and correlation

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functional combining with the aug-cc-pVDZ basis set to obtain its electric dipole moment, electronic density and electrostatic potential (ESP). The calculations were performed by Gaussian 09 program.<sup>8</sup>

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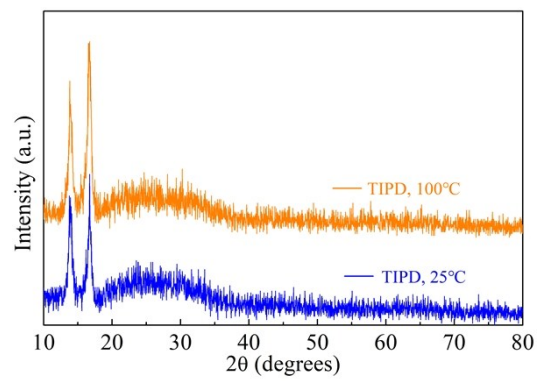


Fig. S1 XRD patterns of the prepared TIPD films dried at 25°C and 100°C, respectively.

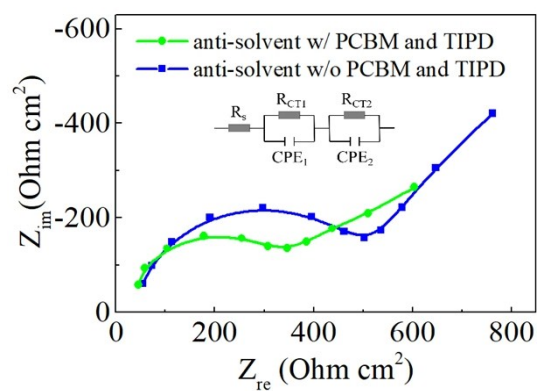


Fig. S2 Electrochemical impedance spectra (EIS) of the PSCs under illumination  $100 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ .

**Table S1** The fitting parameters for measured EIS results with different device.

Sample	$R_s$ ( $\Omega \cdot cm^2$ )	$R_{CT1}$ ( $mA \cdot cm^2$ )	$R_{CT2}$ ( $mA \cdot cm^2$ )	$CPE_1$ ( $\mu F \cdot cm^2$ )	$CPE_2$ ( $nF \cdot cm^2$ )
PSCs with PCBM:TIPD-blended anti-solvent treatment	22.81	774.9	274.4	2.28	6.27
PSCs with CBZ anti-solvent treatment	38.64	1875	452.6	1.56	11.9