1 The emergence of red fluorescence from two dimensional Stanene oxide 2 nanosheets.

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13 Materials and methods

14 Materials

15 All the chemicals were used as purchased unless mentioned, Tin Chloride (SnCl₂) was purchased from Alfa

16 aeser, USA. Acetone and Acetonitrile used in the experiment was HPLC grade, purchased from J.T. Baker,

17 USA.

18 Methods.

19 The entire synthesis of rSt_{NS} was done as follows: 20 mg of anhydrous tin chloride (SnCl₂) was dissolved

20 in 10 ml appropriate ratio of acetone-acetonitrile solution and probe sonicated for 20 minutes (20W, 10 sec.

21 ON and 2 sec. OFF cycle). The resulting solution was incubated at ambient temperature for few days.

Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM) and High-Resolution TEM (HRTEM) for analyzing the 22 morphology of nanosheets was done using Philips CM200 (Philips, Netherlands) and JEOL 3010 AEM 23 (JEOL, Japan) respectively and optical characteristics were observed using UV-Vis absorption 24 spectroscopy was conducted using EvolutionTM 201 (Thermo Fisher, USA) spectroscopy. μ -Raman 25 spectroscopy and provided insights into structural conformation of the nanoparticles, µ-Raman 26 spectroscopy was carried by HORIBA HR800 using 633nm laser at 16mW power with 1800 grating. X-27 ray diffraction analysis was performed using GIXRD at incident angle 2° for analyzing the structure lattice 28 of the nanoparticle. 29

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32 Scheme S1. Schematic illustration for synthesis of red fluorescent Stanene oxide (rSt_{NS}) nanosheets

33 by non-hydrolytic sol-gel method. Initial step comprises of probe sonication and incubation, after

34 (day 3) incubation emission of red fluorescence under UV irradiation (lower panel) and lastly (day

35 6) green fluorescing Stanene oxide (gSt_{NS}).

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38 Fig. S1. Optical (UV-Vis) absorbance of various solvents studied namely DMAA, DMFA and 1-

39 Methylparathion for the emergence of red fluorescence.

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Fig. S2. XPS survey scans **A**) full range scan of β St_{NS}, **B**) oxygen 1s states ratiometrically equal 46 in β St_{NS}. **C**),**D**) full range survey scans of rSt_{NS} and gSt_{NS} respectively.



50 Fig. S3. A) EDAX analysis of rSt_{NS}. Showing elements: metal Sn, Oxygen and Nitrogen. B),C)
51 Hr-TEM images of rSt_{NS} and gSt_{NS} respectively

Element	Line	k Factor	k Factor type	Absorption	Wt%	Wt%	Atomic %
	Туре			Correction		Sigma	
С	K series	2.784	Theoretical	1.00	8.34	0.74	27.15
N	K series	3.534	Theoretical	1.00	2.80	2.31	7.81
0	K series	2.030	Theoretical	1.00	16.90	0.81	41.32
Sn	L series	1.929	Theoretical	1.00	71.97	1.93	23.72
Total:					100.00		100.00

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