N-Heterocyclic Carbene (NHC)-Catalyzed Oxidation of Unactivated Aldimines to Amides via Imine Umpolung under Aerobic Conditions

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General information

All the reactions were carried out with an oven dried round bottom flask/Schlenk tube. Reactions were magnetically stirred and monitored by analytical thin layer chromatography (TLC). TLC was performed on Merck silica gel 60 F_{254} ; UV lamp was used as visualizing agent, I_2 or KMnO₄ and Anisaldehyde as developing agents. Purification of products was carried out by column chromatography by using 60-120/100-200 mesh silica and EtOAc/hexane were used as eluents and concentration under reduced pressure was performed by rotary evaporator at 40-45 °C, at appropriate pressure. The yields were given to the isolated products.

All the solvents, which were used in the reactions were dried and freshly distilled solvents according to their standard procedures, wherever required, and transferred under argon. Dry solvents like DMC, DMF, DMSO, CH₃CN, *t*-BuOH, DME, THF and 1,4-dioxane were purchased from Finar Scientifics, India. These were stored over activated 4 Å molecular sieves.

All the reagents, substrates, catalysts, deuterated solvents were purchased from commercial suppliers like as Alfa Aesar, Sigma Aldrich, TCI, S.D Fine chemicals, India. Those were used without further purification.

¹H-NMR spectra were recorded on 300, 400 and 500 MHz instruments. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm with the reference solvent as the internal standards (TMS = 0; CDCl₃ = 7.26; DMSO-d₆ = 2.50). The following abbreviations were used to explain the multiplicity of the spectra (s = singlet, d = doublet, dd = doublet of doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, brs = broad singlet). ¹³C-NMR spectra were recorded on 75, 100, and 125 MHz spectrometers. Peaks which appear at 1.26, 0.86 in ¹H-NMR and 29.7 in ¹³C-NMR corresponds to the residual grease present in the solvent (Gottlieb, H. E.; Kotlyar, V.; Nudelman, A. NMR Chemical Shifts of Common Laboratory Solvents as Trace Impurities. *J. Org. Chem.* **1997**, *62*, 7512-7515). Mass spectra were analysed by Electrospray Ionization (ESI) method and were obtained on a Shimadzu LCMS-2020 mass spectrometer. High resolution mass spectra were recorded on a Thermo scientific ExactiveTMOrbitrap mass spectrometer or Q STAR XL Hybrid MS/M. Infrared spectroscopy (IR-neat) was performed on a BRUKER FT-IR spectrophotometer in chloroform, and IR [KBr] spectra were recorded on a THERMO NICOLET NEXUS 670 FT-IR instrument.

General procedure for the synthesis of imines 3a-3af







Procedure: A

To a flame dried flask was added 20 mL CH₂Cl₂, MgSO₄ (1.5 equiv, 7.5 mmol) followed by aniline **2** (1.0 equiv, 5 mmol). After stirring for 5 min, benzaldehyde **1** (1.0 equiv, 5 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for overnight. The reaction mixture was filtered through the pad of celite. The solvent of filtrate was removed under reduced pressure to afford the imines.

All the compounds 3c, 3d, 3e, 3j, 3k, 3l, 3m, 3p, 3q, 3r, 3s, 3v, 3w, 3x, 3y, 3z, 3aa, 3ab, 3ad, 3ae were prepared by using the above general procedures A. Spectral data were in good agreement with the reported data for the compounds as follows: 3c,^[1] 3d,^[3],3e,^[30] 3j,^[16] 3k,^[16] 3l,^[5] 3m, 3p,^[16] 3q,^[19] 3r,^[18] 3s,^[18] 3v,^[1] 3w,^[15] 3x,^[12] 3y,^[13] 3z,^[11] 3aa,^[11] 3ab,^[2] 3ad,^[9] 3ae.^[8]

Procedure: B

To a flame dried flask was added benzaldehyde 1 (1.0 equiv, 5 mmol), aniline 2 (1.0 equiv, 5 mmol), and ethanol (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for overnight in the absence of light. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to afford the imines.

All the compounds **3b**, **3h**, **3i**, **3n**, **3t**, **3u** were prepared by using the above general **procedures B**. Spectral data were in good agreement with the reported data for the compounds as follows: **3b**, ^[7] **3h**, ^[1] **3i**, ^[6] **3n**, ^[6] **3t**, ^[2] **3u**. ^[11]

Procedure: C

To a flame dried flask was added benzaldehyde 1 (1.0 equiv, 5 mmol), aniline 2 (1.0 equiv, 5 mmol), and ethanol (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at reflux temperature until both the starting materials were consumed. Then, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the product was recrystallization from cold ethanol to afford pure imines.

All the compounds **3a**, **3f**, **3g**, **3o**, **3ac**, **3af** were prepared by using the above general **procedures C**. Spectral data were in good agreement with the reported data for the compounds as follows: **3a**,^[13] **3f**,^[10] **3g**,^[10] **3a**,^[1] **3a**,^[1]



Imine **3a** (1 equiv, 0.5 mmol, 90 mg), NHC precatalyst (20 mol%, 0.1 mmol), and base (1.2 equiv, 0.6 mmol) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask and it was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then solvent (4.0 mL) was added by syringe under argon atmosphere. Subsequently, the reaction mixture was stirred at the room temperature for 10 min under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction mixture was stirred under open-air atmosphere at room temperature and time as mentioned in optimization Tables S1-S5. After completion of reaction, water (10 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 15 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (20 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to obtain a crude residue. The crude was kept for high vacuum for few minutes. Purification using recrystallization by using cold *n*-pentane and dichloromethane (few drops) to get amide **4a** as a pure product.

Note: please see tables S1-S5, for screening of various NHCs, bases, solvents and their ratios/quantities

Optimization survey



Entry	NHC precatalyst (20 mol %)	Structure of NHC precatalyst	% of Yield 4a
1	1,3-Bis(2,4,6-trimethylphenyl) imidazolium chloride A1		53
2	1,3-Dicyclohexylimidazolium chloride A2		-
3	1,3-diisopropyl imidazolium chloride A3		-
4	1,3-Di- <i>ter</i> t-butylimidazolium tetrafluoroborate A4	$\overset{}{\underset{N}{\overset{\ominus}{\underset{\Theta}{\overset{\Theta}{\overset{\Theta}{\overset{\Theta}{\overset{\Theta}{\overset{\Theta}{\overset{\Theta}{\Theta$	-

5	1,3-Bis(2,4,6-trimethylphenyl) imidazolinium chloride B1		-
6	1,3-Bis(2,6-diisopropylphenyl) imidazolinium chloride B2		-
7	1,4-Dimethyl-1,2,4-triazolium iodide C1	N ⊕ N √ ⊖ I ⊖	87
8	1,3,4-triphenyl-1 <i>H</i> -1,2,4-triazol-4-ium chloride C 2	Ph N⊕ N−Ph Ph Cl	-
9	5-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-3,4-dimethylthiazolium iodide D1	HO HO	-
10	3-Methylbenzothiazolium iodide D2	N⊕ CI [©] S	-
11	3-Ethylbenzothiazolium bromide D3	Br N⊕ S	-



Entry	Base (1.2 equiv)	% Yield of 4a
1	K_2CO_3	55
2	K ₃ PO ₄	41
3	Et ₃ N	29
4	1,4-Diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane (DABCO)	65
5	NaH	72
6	Cs ₂ CO ₃	87
7	1,8-Diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene (DBU)	71



Entry	Solvent	% Yield of 4a
1	THF	75
2	Dimethyl carbonate	87
3	CH ₃ CN	52
4	1,4-Dioxane	65
5	Dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO)	63
6	1,2-Dimethoxyethane (DME)	61
7	t-BuOH	traces
8	EtOAc	65
9	Toluene	_
10	DMF	49
11	EtOH	-
12	H ₂ O	-



Entry	NHC. C1 (xx mol%)	Cs2CO3 (xx mol%)	Temp. (°C)	Time (h)	% Yield of 4a
1	10	120	rt	4	40
2	15	120	rt	4	70
3	20	120	rt	4	87
4	20	100	rt	4	72
5	20	50	rt	4	45
9	20	120	rt	12	85
10	20	120	rt	24	87

Table S5: Reaction without using NHC precatalyst (or) base

(Optimized conditions mentioned entry 1, Table S4 were used)

Entry	NHC precatalyst	Base	Solvent	% Yield of 4a
1	1,4-Dimethyl-1,2,4-triazolium iodide C1	No base	DMC	-
2	No catalyst	Cs ₂ CO ₃	DMC	_

Experimental Procedure to know the effect of LiCl on optimized reaction conditions



Imine 3a (1 equiv, 0.5 mmol, 90 mg), NHC precatalyst (20 mol%, 0.1 mmol, 22.5 mg), Cs₂CO₃ (1.2 equiv, 0.6 mmol, 196 mg) and anhydrous LiCl (1.5 equiv, 0.6 mmol, 25 mg) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask and it was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then solvent DMC (4.0 mL) was added by syringe under argon atmosphere. Subsequently, the reaction mixture was stirred at the room temperature for 10 min under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction was stirred under open-air for 4 h. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (10 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 15 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (15 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure on a rotavapor to obtain a crude residue. The crude was kept for high vacuum. Then recrystallization with cold n-pentane and DCM (few drops) afford the pure products. **4a** off-white solid with 56% yield



The imine **3a** was prepared by **procedure C**, which was used in the NHC catalyzed transformation. The crude imine **3a** (1.0 equiv, 1.0 mmol), 1,4-dimethyl-1,2,4-triazolium iodide **C1** (20 mol%, 0.2 mmol, 45 mg), and Cs_2CO_3 (1.2 equiv, 1.2 mmol, 390 mg) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask and it was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then solvent dimethyl carbonate (DMC) (8.0 mL) was added by syringe under argon atmosphere. Subsequently, the reaction mixture was stirred at the room temperature for 10 min under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction was stirred under open-air for 4 h. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (15 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 20 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (20 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure on a rotavapor to obtain a crude residue. The crude was kept for high vacuum. Then recrystallization with cold *n*-pentane and DCM (few drops) afford the pure products. **4a** off-white solid with 85% yield.



The crude imine **3a-af** (1.0 equiv, 1.0 mmol), 1,4-dimethyl-1,2,4-triazolium iodide **C1** (20 mol%, 0.2 mmol, 45 mg), and Cs₂CO₃ (1.2 equiv, 1.2 mmol, 390 mg) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask and it was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then solvent dimethyl carbonate (DMC) (8.0 mL) was added by syringe under argon atmosphere. Subsequently, the reaction mixture was stirred at the room temperature for 10 min under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction was stirred under open-air for 4 h. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (15 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 20 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (20 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure on a rotavapor to obtain a crude residue. The crude was kept for high vacuum. Then recrystallization with cold *n*-pentane and DCM (few drops) afford the pure products **4a**, **4b**, **4c**, **4d**, **4e**, **4f**, **4g**, **4i**, **4m**, **4n**, **4o**, **4p**, **4t**, **4u**, **4v**, **4w**, **4x**, **4aa**, **4ab**. and the products **4h**, **4j**, **4k**, **4l**, **4q**, **4r**, **4s**, **4y**, **4z**, **4ac**, **4ad**, **4ae**, **4af** were purified by using column chromatography.



The imine **3a**, **3n**, and, **3v** were prepared by following method **A**, **B**, or **C**. Then the crude imine **3a**, **3n**, and **3v** (1.0 equiv, 10 mmol), 1,4-dimethyl-1,2,4-triazolium iodide **C1** (20 mol%, 2.0 mmol, 450 mg), and Cs₂CO₃ (1.2 equiv, 12 mmol, 3.9 g) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask and it was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then solvent DMC (50 mL) was added by syringe under argon atmosphere. Subsequently, the reaction mixture was stirred at the room temperature for 10 min under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction was stirred under open-air for 4 h. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (80 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 50 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (100 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure on a rotavapor to obtain a crude residue. The crude was kept for high vacuum. Then recrystallization with cold *n*-pentane and DCM (few drops) afford the pure product. **4a**, **4n**, and **4v** with 70%, 65%, and 66% yield respectively.

Control Experiments

> Under Argon Atmosphere



The imine **3a** (1 equiv, 0.5 mmol, 91 mg), NHC precatalyst **C1** (20 mol%, 0.1mmol, 22.5 mg), and Cs_2CO_3 (1.2 equiv, 0.6 mmol, 197 mg) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask and it was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then DMC (4 mL) solvent was added by syringe under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction mixture was continued at room temperature for 4 h under argon atmosphere. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (10 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 15 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (20 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. After solvent evaporation, the residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to afford the desired product **4a** with 8% yield.

Under Pure Oxygen Atmosphere



The imine **3a** (1 equiv, 0.5 mmol, 91 mg), NHC precatalyst **C1** (20 mol%, 0.1mmol, 22.5 mg), and Cs_2CO_3 (1.2 equiv, 0.6 mmol, 197 mg) were taken in a clean and dried two necked round bottom flask. It was evacuated and back filled with argon gas (2-3 cycles). Then were added DMC (4 mL) solvent by syringe under argon atmosphere. Later, the reaction mixture was continued at room temperature for 4 h under pure oxygen atmosphere. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (20 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 10 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (10 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. Then recrystallization with cold *n*-pentane and DCM (few drops) afford the pure products. **4a** off-white solid in 84% yield.

Direct Reaction of 1a and 2a



The aniline **2a** (1.0 equiv, 1 mmol, 0.091 mL), benzaldehyde **1a** (1.0 equiv, 1 mmol, 0.1 mL) and NHC precatalyst **C1** (20 mol%, 0.2 mmol, 45 mg) were added in a clean round bottom flask. Then dry DMC (8 mL) was added by syringe followed by addition of Cs_2CO_3 (1.2 equiv, 1.2 mmol, 391 mg). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the room temperature for 1 h under open air. After completion of reaction, water was added to the reaction mixture (20 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (2 x 20 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (15 mL), the organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure on a rotavapor to obtain a crude residue. The crude product was purified EtOAc/Hex by using column chromatography to give 5 in 79% yield. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data reported by Cheon *et al.* (ref: *Org. Lett.*, 2014, **16**, 2514.)



N-phenyl benzamide (4a):- Off-white solid, 167 mg (0.85 mmol), 85% yield, $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 755, 1076, 1221, 1588, 1686, 3034 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.16$ (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.44-7.58 (m, 3H), 7.64 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.84-7.90 (m, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 120.8$, 124.1, 128.1, 128.8, 129.1, 132.0, 135.5, 139.6, 166.0; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 198; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₂NO [M+H]⁺ 198.0914, found 198.0913. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



4-Fluoro-*N***-phenylbenzamide (4b)**:- White solid, 159 mg (0.74 mmol), 74% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 763, 1171, 1226, 1599, 1689, 3079 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 7.12$ (s, 1H), 7.36 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 4H), 7.76 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 8.04 (s, 2H), 10.25 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 115.7$, 115.9, 120.9, 124.2, 129.1, 130.8, 130.9, 131.8, 139.5, 164.5 (J = 250 Hz), 164.9; ¹⁹F-NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = -107.4$; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 216; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁NOF [M+H]⁺ 216.0823 found. 216.0817. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[34]



4-Chloro-N-phenylbenzamide(**4c**):- White solid, 173 mg (0.75 mmol), 75% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 755, 1324, 1532, 1653, 3345 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.17$ (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.47 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.82 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, DMSO-d₆ & CDCl₃) $\delta = 121.0$, 124.1, 128.5, 128.7, 129.6, 133.8, 137.2, 139.1, 165.0; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 232; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁NOCl [M+H]⁺ 232.0529 found. 232.0524. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



4-Bromo-*N***-phenylbenzamide (4d)**:- White solid, 222 mg (0.81 mmol), 81% yield, $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃), 753, 1286, 1442, 1533, 1653, 3341 cm⁻¹; ¹**H**-**NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.17$ (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (t, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.57-7.68 (m, 4H), 7.75 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 120.9$, 124.3, 125.9, 129.1, 130.3, 131.9, 134.5, 139.4, 165.0; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 276; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁BrNO [M+H]⁺ 276.0023 found 276.0020.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



2-Chloro-N-phenylbenzamide (4e):- Black solid, 168 mg (0.73 mmol), 73% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃) 759, 1329, 1443, 1541, 1603, 1665, 3072 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.17$ (m, 1H), 7.30-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.36 (d, J = 2.9 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.42 (d, J = 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.61-7.67 (m, 4H), 7.72 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 119.3$, 120.1, 125.1, 127.8, 129.0, 129.8, 131.5, 133.5, 137.5, 137.8, 165.6; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 232; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁ONCl [M+H]⁺ 232.0519 found 232.0523. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



2,4-Dichloro-N-phenylbenzamide (4f): -White solid, 209 mg (0.79 mmol), 79% yield, $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃) 751, 1156, 1222, 1599, 1688, 3079 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.18$ (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 3H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.64 (s, 2H), 7.72 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H) 7.93 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 120.3$, 125.1, 127.7, 129.2, 130.1, 131.4, 131.5, 133.6, 137.2, 137.4, 163.6; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 266; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₀ONCl₂ [M+H]⁺ 266.0135 found 266.0134.



2,6-Dichloro-N-phenylbenzamide (4g):- White solid, 185 mg (0.70 mmol), 70% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 763, 1171, 1226, 1561, 1689, 3076 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.20$ (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dd, J = 9.2, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 7.35-7.44 (m, 4H), 7.64 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 120.4$, 125.3, 128.3, 129.2, 131.0, 132.5, 135.9, 137.1, 162.4; **MS** (ESI, m/z): [M+H]⁺ 266; **HRMS** (ESI, m/z): calcd for C₁₃H₁₀NOCl₂ [M+H]⁺ 266.0144 found. 266.0141.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[25]



4-Methyl-N-phenylbenzamide (**4h**):- White solid, 158 mg (0.75 mmol), 75% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃), 753, 1467, 1533, 1656, 3348 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 2.42$ (s, 3H), 7.12-7.18 (m, 1H), 7.28 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.34-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.62-7.66 (m, 2H), 7.76-7.79 (m, 2H), 7.80 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 21.5$, 120.2, 124.5, 127.0, 129.1, 129.5, 132.1, 138.1, 142.4, 165.6; **MS** (ESI, m/z): [M+H]⁺ 212; **HRMS** (ESI, m/z): calcd for C₁₄H₁₄ON [M+H]⁺ 212.1065 found 212.1070.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



4-Methoxy-*N***-phenylbenzamide** (**4i**):-White solid, 172 mg (0.76 mmol), 76% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 762, 1217, 1442, 1599, 1654, 2965, 3256; cm⁻¹; ¹**H**-**NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 3.88$ (s, 3H), 6.98 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.85 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 55.5$, 114.0, 120.2, 124.4, 127.2, 128.9, 129.1, 138.1, 162.5, 165.2; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 228; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₄N₂O [M+H]⁺ 228.1019 found 228.1018. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



N-(2,4-Dimethoxyphenyl) benzamide (4j):- White solid, 182 mg (0.71 mmol), 71% yield, $R_f = 0.40$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 757, 836, 1036, 1075, 1256, 1603, 1666, 2958, 3363 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 6.61-6.79 (m, 2H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.65-7.83 (m, 3H), 9.92 (s, 1H) ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃ & DMSO-d₆) δ = 56.0, 56.6, 99.0, 106.2, 113.1, 116.4, 120.3, 124.1, 130.0, 132.6, 139.4, 158.8, 163.5, 163.9 ; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 258; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₅H₁₆O₃N [M+H]⁺ 258.1125, found 258.1123.



3,4-Dimethoxy-N-phenylbenzamide (**4k**):- White solid,187 mg (0.73 mmol), 73% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 20:80); **IR** (CHCl₃) 758, 1171, 1226, 1599, 1689, 3079 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 3.92$ (s, 3H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 6.87-6.95 (m, 1H), 7.02 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.58 (dd, J = 8.3, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 9.88 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 56.1$, 56.2, 111.4, 111.5, 120.8, 120.9, 121.5, 123.9, 127.5, 129.03, 139.7, 148.8, 152.1, 165.4; **MS** (ESI, m/z): [M-H]⁺ 258; **HRMS** (ESI, m/z): calcd for C₁₅H₁₆O₃N [M+H]⁺ 258.1125 found 258.1125. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[23]



6-Bromo-*N***-phenylbenzo**[*d*][**1,3**]**dioxole-5-carboxamide** (**4**]**:**- White solid, 229 mg (0.72 mmol), 72% yield, R_f = 0.45 (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 760, 1040, 1249, 1484, 1545, 1662, 2925, 3281 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 6.04 (s, 2H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 7.09-7.21 (m, 2H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.76 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 102.4, 109.9, 110.8, 113.3, 120.1, 124.8, 129.1, 131.0, 137.6, 147.7, 150.0, 165.0; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 320; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₁NO₃Br [M+H]⁺ 319.991 found 319.990. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[36]



3-Bromo-4-methoxy-*N***-phenylbenzamide (4m):**- Light yellow solid, 225 mg (0.74 mmol), 74% yield, R_f = 0.45; (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90) **IR** (CHCl₃) 594, 762, 1059, 1266, 1502, 1658, 2926, 3362 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 3.95 (s, 3H), 7.10 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 8.02 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 8.24 (s, 1H), 10.18 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 57.1, 110.8, 112.6, 120.8, 124.1, 128.6, 128.9, 129.6, 132.7, 139.6, 158.4, 164.0; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 306; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄ H₁₃O₂NBr [M+H]⁺ 306.0124 found 306.0117.



4-Nitro-N-phenylbenzamide (**4n**):- White solid, 191 mg (0.79 mmol), 79% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 758, 1327, 1544, 1669, 2233, 3353 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 7.15$ (s, 1H), 7.38 (s, 2H), 7.78 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 8.19 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 8.38 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 10.57 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 120.5$, 123.5, 124.2, 128.7, 129.2, 138.6, 140.6, 149.1, 163.9; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 243; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁N₂O₃ [M+H]⁺ 243.0761 found 243.0764. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[29]



3-Nitro-N-phenylbenzamide (40):- White solid, 176 mg (0.73 mmol), 73% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 768, 1081, 1262, 1452, 1607, 1669, 2245, 3080 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.21$ (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (t, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (s, 1H), 8.26 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 8.41 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.70 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 120.5$, 121.8, 125.3, 126.4, 129.3, 130.1, 133.4, 136.6, 137.3, 148.3, 163.3; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 243; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁N₂O₃ [M+H]⁺ 243.0764, found 243.0765.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[31]



4-Cyano-N-phenylbenzamide (4p):- White solid, 171 mg (0.77 mmol), 77% yield, $R_f = 0.50$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 760, 1077, 1288, 1454, 1541, 1670, 2232, 3178, 3353 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.20$ (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.86 (s, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 115.5$, 117.9, 120.4, 125.3, 127.8, 129.3, 132.7, 137.3, 138.9, 163.9; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M-H]⁺ 223; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄ H₁₁ON₂ [M+H]⁺ 223.0866 found 223.0863.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



N-phenyl-1-naphthamide (4q):- White solid, 192 mg (0.78 mmol), 78% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 8:92); **IR** (CHCl₃) 756, 1215, 1535, 1600, 1657, 3019 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.18$ (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (dd, J = 15.0, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (dt, J = 5.8, 3.5 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (dd, J = 15.7, 7.2 Hz, 4H), 7.90 (dd, J = 6.1, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.30-8.42 (m, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 120.0$, 124.7, 124.8, 125.1, 125.3, 126.6, 127.4, 128.5, 129.2, 130.1, 131.1, 133.8, 134.5, 138.1, 167.6; MS (ESI, m/z): [M+H]⁺ 248; **HRMS** (ESI, m/z): calcd for C₁₇ H₁₄ON [M+H]⁺ 248.1070, found 248.1066.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[33]



N-phenylfuran-2-carboxamide (4r):- White solid, 120 mg (0.64 mmol), 64% yield, R_f = 0.45 (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 756, 1155, 1216, 1443, 1604, 1668, 2922, 3021, cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 6.57 (dd, *J* = 3.5, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.13-7.20 (m, 1H), 7.25 (dd, *J* = 3.5, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.52 (dd, *J* = 1.7, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 1.0 Hz, 2H), 8.06 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 112.7, 115.3, 119.9, 124.6, 129.1, 137.4, 144.2, 148.1, 156.0; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 188; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₁H₁₀O₂N [M+H]⁺ 188.0706 found 188.0705. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[22]



N-phenylcinnamamide (4s):-White solid, 122 mg (0.55 mmol), 55% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 761, 1184, 1249, 1348, 1449,1547, 1626 1667, 3283 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 6.55$ (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (dt, J = 15.7, 6.8 Hz, 6H), 7.55 (d, J = 5.3 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (s, 2H), 7.77 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 119.0$, 120.8, 124.5, 128.0, 129.0, 129.1, 130.0, 134.6, 138.0, 142.5, 164.1; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 224; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₅H₁₄ON [M+H]⁺ 224.1070, found 224.1071.The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[35]



N-(3-fluorophenyl) benzamide (4t):- White solid, 165 mg (0.77 mmol), 77% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 705, 1493, 1541, 1609, 1667, 2925, 2960, 3343 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 6.86$ (m, 1H), 7.25-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.47-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.56-7.66 (m, 1H), 7.86 (dd, J = 5.3, 3.3 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 107.6$, 107.8, 111.2, 111.4, 115.4, 127.0, 129.0, 130.1, 130.2, 132.1, 134.6, 139.4, 139.5, 163.1 (J = 258 Hz), 165.7; ¹⁹F-NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 111.28$; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 216; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁OFN [M+H]⁺ 216.0825 found 216.0824. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[32]



N-(4-chlorophenyl) benzamide (4u):- White solid, 182 mg (0.79 mmol), 79% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 830, 1127, 1401, 1524, 1660, 2923, 2964, 3352 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 7.39-7.46$ (m, 2H), 7.50-7.58 (m, 2H) , 7.61 (m, 1H), 7.78-7.89 (m, 2H) , 7.95 (dd, J = 5.3, 3.3 Hz, 2H), 10.38 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 122.3$, 127.7, 128.2, 128.9, 129.0, 132.2, 135.2, 138.6, 166.1; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 232; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁OClN [M+H]⁺ 232.05237 found 232.05214. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[33]



N-(4-bromophenyl) benzamide (4v):- White solid, 217 mg (0.79 mmol), 79% yield, $R_f = 0.50$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 1000, 1217, 1590, 1689, 2922, 3076 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.48$ (d, J = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 3H), 7.56 (dd, J = 11.9, 5.3 Hz, 3H), 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.83-7.90 (m, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 115.8$, 122.7, 128.1, 128.9, 131.9, 132.2, 135.1, 139.1, 166.1; MS (ESI, *m*/*z*): [M+H]⁺ 276; HRMS (ESI, *m*/*z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁NOBr [M+H]⁺ 276.0027 found 276.0024. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[27]



N-(4-iodophenyl) benzamide (4w):- White solid, 245 mg (0.76 mmol), 76% yield, $R_f = 0.50$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃) 799, 1073, 1155, 1277, 1464, 1590, 3071 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 10.34 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 87.8, 122.9, 128.2, 128.9, 132.2, 135.2, 137.7, 139.5, 166.1; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 324; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁ONI [M+H]⁺ 324.0905 found 324.0905. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[27]



N-(2-bromophenyl) benzamide (4v):- White solid, 198 mg (0.72 mmol), 72% yield, $R_f = 0.40$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃) 757, 1034, 1216, 1444, 1603, 1669, 3020, 3305 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 7.10 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.43 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 7.73 (s, 2H), 10.47 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ = 119.5, 120.0, 124.3, 128.2, 129.2, 129.3, 131.6, 133.2, 139.4, 139.6, 166.3; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 276; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₁NOBr [M+H]⁺ 276.0025 found 276.0024. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[24]



N-(5-chloro-2-iodophenyl)benzamide (4y):- White solid, 278 mg (0.78 mmol), 78% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 5:95); IR (CHCl₃) 800, 1074, 1283, 1462, 1649, 2925, 3136 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 6.90$ (dd, J = 8.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 8.30 (s, 1H), 8.60 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 86.7$, 121.2, 126.0, 127.2, 129.1, 132.5, 134.2, 135.6, 139.2, 165.3; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 358; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₃H₁₀IClO [M+H]⁺ 358.0506 found 358.0506. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[20]



N-(*p*-tolyl) benzamide (4z):- Yellow solid, 156 mg (0.74 mmol), 74% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); IR (CHCl₃) 808, 1262, 1524, 1653, 1724, 2924, 3345 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 2.34$ (s, 3H), 7.18 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.45-7.58 (m, 5H), 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.83-7.90 (m, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 21.0$, 120.3, 127.0, 128.8, 129.6, 131.8, 134.3, 135.1, 135.3, 165.7; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 212; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₄ON [M+H]⁺ 212.1071 found 212.1070. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[27]



N-(4-methoxyphenyl) benzamide (4aa):- Brown solid, 158 mg (0.75 mmol), 75% yield, $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 760, 1036, 1259, 1525, 1650, 2923, 2961, 3325 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 3.82$ (s, 3H), 6.91 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.52-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.76 (s, 1H), 7.86 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 55.7$, 114.3, 122.1, 128.8, 129.0, 131.7, 135.0, 156.7, 165.6, **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 228; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₄O₂N [M+H]⁺ 228.1020 found 228.1020. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[27]



N-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)benzamide (4ab):- Light yellow solid, 207 mg (0.78 mmol), 78% yield, $R_f = 0.40$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 705, 1037, 1124, 1329, 1442, 1550, 1607,1668, 2923, 3076, 3278 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 7.45$ (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.60 (dd, *J* = 16.3, 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 8.03 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.25 (s, 1H), 10.56 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 116.8$, 116.9, 120.5, 123.3, 124.3, 126.1, 128.2, 128.9, 129.3,129.7, 130.0, 130.4, 132.4, 134.8, 140.4, 166.5; ¹⁹F-NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = -62.7$; MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 266; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₁ONF₃ [M+H]⁺ 266.0787, found. 266.0782. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[21]



N-(quinolin-3-yl)benzamide (4ac):- Light yellow solid, 190 mg (0.77 mmol), 77% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 20:80); **IR** (CHCl₃) 757, 1132, 1283, 1372, 1548, 1668, 2926, 3068 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.58$ (dd, J = 19.1, 7.1 Hz, 5H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.83 (s,1H), 7.96 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (s, 1H), 8.36 (s, 1H), 8.90 (d, J = 9.7 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 124.6$, 127.2, 127.4, 127.9, 128.2, 128.5, 128.8, 128.9, 131.6, 132.4, 134.2, 144.1, 145.1, 166.3; **MS** (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 249; **HRMS** (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₁₆H₁₃ON₂ [M+H]⁺ 249.1030 found 249.1028. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[26]



N-(**benzo**[*d*]**thiazol-2-yl**) **benzamide** (**4ad**):- White solid, 203 mg (0.80 mmol), 80% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 10:90); **IR** (CHCl₃) 759, 1283, 1302, 1548, 1679, 3070, 3176 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 7.33$ (d, J = 5.1 Hz, 3H), 7.46 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.59 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.84-7.92 (m, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 120.7$, 121.5, 124.2, 126.3, 128.0, 129.0, 132.0, 133.2, 147.4, 165.6; MS (ESI, *m*/*z*): [M+H]⁺ 255; **HRMS** (ESI, *m*/*z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₀ON₂S [M+H] 255.0587 found 255.0584 The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[28]



2-chloro-*N***-(4-methoxyphenyl) benzamide (4ae):-** White solid, 188 mg (0.72 mmol), 72% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 15:85); **IR** (CHCl₃) 752, 1076, 1130, 1285, 1603, 1678, 2855, 2925, 3071 cm⁻¹; ¹**H-NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 3.82$ (s, 3H), 6.92 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (m, 3H), 7.55 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.77 (dt, J = 11.9, 5.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d₆) $\delta = 55.7$, 114.4, 121.5, 127.7, 129.4, 130.1, 131.4, 132.6, 137.6, 156.0, 164.9; **MS** (ESI, *m*/*z*): [M+H]⁺ 262; **HRMS** (ESI, *m*/*z*): calcd for C₁₄H₁₃O₂NCl [M+H]⁺ 262.0636 found 262.0634.



N-(thiazol-2-yl) furan-2-carboxamide (4af):- Light brown solid, 135 mg (0.70 mmol), 70% yield, $R_f = 0.45$ (EtOAc/Hex, 20:80); IR (CHCl₃) 763, 1168, 1314, 1546, 1671, 2922, 2962, 3080 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 6.61$ (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.36 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (s, 1H), 10.24 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H}NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 113.0, 114.0, 117.2, 137.6, 145.4, 146.2, 155.3, 158.1;$ MS (ESI, *m/z*): [M+H]⁺ 195; HRMS (ESI, *m/z*): calcd for C₈H₇O₂N₂S [M+H]⁺ 195.0223, found 195.0218. The spectroscopic data were in good agreement with the reported data.^[30]

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