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Supramolecular inclusion complexes of β-cyclodextrin with bathochromicshifted photochromism and photomodulable fluorescence enable multiple applications

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Figure S1. ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR spectra for viologen **3**·Cl₂.







Figure S3. 2D gCOSY NMR of three viologen guests in D₂O.

Figure S4. ¹H NMR spectra (400 MHz, D₂O) of 1^{2+} (a) in the absence and in the presence of (b) 1.53 equiv of β -CD in D₂O at 20 °C. (c) shows the ¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, D₂O) of β -CD in D₂O (5.0 mmol·L⁻¹) at 20 °C.



Figure S5. ¹H NMR spectra (400 MHz, D₂O) of 2^{2+} (a, 4.0 mmol·L⁻¹) in the absence and in the presence of (b) 1.70 equiv of β -CD in D₂O at 20 °C. (c) shows the ¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, D₂O) of β -CD in D₂O (5.0 mmol·L⁻¹) at 20 °C.



Figure S6. Photographs of the viologens $1 \cdot Cl_2$, $2 \cdot Cl_2$ and $3 \cdot Cl_2$ before and after irradiation.



Figure S7. Photographs of surface and internal colors of the inclusion complexes after irradiation. By removing the surface materials, it can be seen that the internal colors of the inclusion complexes have not changed.











Figure S10. Electron distributions on HOMO and LUMO of the inclusion complex 3^{2+} @ β -CD₂.



Figure S11. FI-IR spectra of the inclusion complex 1^{2+} @ β -CD before and after irradiation.



Figure S12. FI-IR spectra of the inclusion complex 2^{2+} @ β -CD₂ before and after irradiation.



Figure S13. FI-IR spectra of the inclusion complex 3^{2+} @ β -CD₂ before and after irradiation.



Figure S14. photomodulable fluorescence of the $1^{2+}@\beta$ -CD. (a) Photographs showing the fluorescence "on-off" switching process controlled by the photochromic process. (b) Fluorescence spectra of the solid-state $1^{2+}@\beta$ -CD changed during the light irradiation process. (c) Degree of emission intensity reduction of the solid-state $1^{2+}@\beta$ -CD with prolonged time.



Figure S15. photomodulable fluorescence of the $2^{2+}@\beta$ -CD₂. (a) Photographs showing the fluorescence "on–off" switching process controlled by the photochromic process. (b) Fluorescence spectra of the solid-state $2^{2+}@\beta$ -CD₂ changed during the light irradiation process. (c) Degree of emission intensity reduction of the solid-state $2^{2+}@\beta$ -CD₂ with prolonged time.



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Table S1. The customized codebook 1

Table S2. The customized codebook 2.

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