ERRATA/CORRIGENDA LIST

These mistakes were discovered and compiled after submission for publishing/printing.

- 1) In page 1 and page 2, upper case letter "T" of thiophene in the middle of sentences should be: lower case letter "t".
- 2) In page 1, America spelling of "sulfuric, and sulfur" should be: sulphuric, and sulphur (British spelling).
- **3)** In section 1.1, scheme 1 and page 3, the structure named "1-phenyl-5-methylthiophene" should be named: 2-phenyl-5-methylthiophene.
- **4)** In section 2.1.1, page 5 should be corrected as: "It has a stacked structure where the carbon layers (graphene) are build up of annelated six-membered ring and they are held together by weak van der Waals forces".
- **5)** In section 2.1.4, page 9 and section 3.0, page 21 and page 24, lower case letter "k" of C_8k should be: upper case "K".
- **6)** In section 2.1.5, page 9, "hydrogenation reactions" should be: hydrogenation reactions.
- **7)** In section 2.2.1, scheme 4, page 11, The structure;

- 8) In section 2.2.4, page 18, the name "a-diketones" in a sentence should be: α -diketones.
- **9)** In section 5.1.2, page 38, "100MGHz for ¹³C" should be: 100 MHz for ¹³C.
- **10)** In section 5.2.2, page 39, the use of "experimental section 3.1" in the first sentence should be: "experimental section 5.2.1".
- **11)** In section 5.4, page 42, "fig 5.0: FID CALIBRATION CURVE" should be: fig 12: FID CALIBRATION CURVE.
- **12)** In page 44, all the temperature measurement of: " 120° C, 125° C, 140° C" should be: 120° C, 125° C, 140° C" should be: 120° C, 125° C, 140° C.
- **13)** In page 43 and page 44, the presence of the word "experimental" and the space created at the middle of the page (right side) should be disregarded.

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