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Correction: Acridinedione as selective fluoride ion chemosensor: a detailed spectroscopic and quantum mechanical investigation

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Correction for 'Acridinedione as selective fluoride ion chemosensor: a detailed spectroscopic and quantum mechanical investigation' by Nafees Iqbal *et al.*, *RSC Adv.*, 2018, 8, 1993–2003.

The authors regret that the interpretation of the fluorescence spectra of compound **7i** published in the original article was incorrect. In the original article, it was reported that upon excitation at 380 nm, the fluorescence spectrum of compound **7i** showed two emission bands at 450 nm and 770 nm (Fig. 5b of the original article). The signal at 770 nm (previously reported as an emission band), is instead a second order diffraction (an artefact of diffraction grating/spectrofluorometer monochromator), as revealed from the literature.^{1,2} The authors thank a reader for highlighting this mistake.

The Royal Society of Chemistry apologises for these errors and any consequent inconvenience to authors and readers.

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