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## High Yield Synthesis of Some Aromatic Phosphonic Acid Derivatives and Related Compounds as Surface Tethers for Energy Harvesting Technologies

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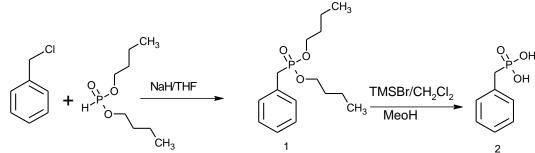
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## ABSTRACT

Efficient synthesis of novel 1-Phenyl ethyl phosphonic acid, 4-vinylbenzylphosphonic acid. Benzyl phosphonic acid and Perfluorophenyl methacrylate and such other derivatives are reported here. These derivatives have a potential application as tethers to nanoparticle surfaces that can promote efficient electron transfer process in solar energy conversion.

## **GRAPHICAL ABSTRACT:**



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