## **Title:** Effects of polyamine binding on stability of DNA i-motif structures

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Figure S1. The change in absorbance for fully folded C6T i-motif DNA at 20 °C and fully unfolded DNA at 80 °C. The observed changes were used to measure  $T_m$  values via UV-Visible spectroscopy. The folded form is indicated by the solid line while the unfolded form is indicated by the dashed line. Spectra were recorded for 4  $\mu$ M C6T DNA in 30 mM cacodylate buffer, pH 5.4. Spectral changes are readily reversible upon heating and cooling. The absorbance at 260 nm was used to determine  $T_m$  values reported here.

