

Long Life Prayer for Shechen Rabjam Rinpoche

OM SOTI TAGTEN SHOM SHIG DRELWA DORJÉ KU TSANG YANG GAGPA MÉPA
DORJÉ SÜNG ZAGDREL DÉTONG DORJÉ TÜG NGA WÉ TSASÜM TSÉLHÉ TSOGKYI
GELEK TSOL KUNSANG PEMÉ RINGLÜG DZOGPA CHÉ TENPÉ NYIMA TSÜNGMÉ
RABJAMPA SHÉDRÜG CHÖKYI SENGGÉ DADREL CHOG SANGSÜM DORJÉ KAMSU
TENGYUR CHIG DONGAG TENPA NYIDEN NGYURMIG DÉ DÉSÖ GYALTSEN TSÉ NA
TAGTEN SHING KORLO SÜMGYI TRINLÉ DARSHING GYÉ NYENDRAG DZAMLING
YONGLA KYAB GYUR CHIG

OM SVASTI

Vajra body, indestructible, permanent and firmly abiding,
Vajra speech, unceasing melody of Brahma,
Sovereign of the stainless vajra mind of empty bliss —
May the deities of the Three Roots grant you virtuous excellence!

Universally Learned One, sunlight of the teaching of Samantabhadra and Padmasambhava's tradition of Mahasandhi; Supreme and unequalled *Dharma Lion* of its study and practice, May your three secrets remain firm as a vajra.

As you remain the pinnacle of the victory banner of the faith and merit
Of the saffron clad followers of the sutra and tantra teachings,
May the three spheres¹ of your activity increase and flourish,
And may your fame spread throughout the entire world!

The original prayer by the old Shakya bhikshu Orgyen Tukchik Dorje Tsewang Drunpey Gonpo, was adapted for the purpose of the [present] incarnation. Siddhi Rastu. Virtue! (Translated by Jakob Leschly)

¹ 1) The study sphere of learning. 2) The renunciation sphere of meditation. 3) The action sphere of activity for the Dharma.