

SUPPLICATION FOR THE LONGEVITY OF SAKYONG MIPHAM RINPOCHE

OM SVASTI

By the power of the truth of the blessings of deathless Amitāyus
And the truth of the long-life vidyādhara Padmākara, his consort,
and so forth,

The divine assembly that has accomplished deathlessness—
Ruler of the three *worlds*, *protector* who guards our well-being,
Dharma king, heir of the Rigden kings,
Manifestation of buddha activity, the compassionate display of the
three secrets

Of lord *Mipham*, who was Mañjushrī in person,
Subjugator of the enemy troops of obstructing māras,
Friend who raises the victory banner of the teachings of the great secret,
Lord messenger of Padma, may you ever remain.

May your three secrets be indestructible like a vajra,
May your lotus feet stand firm for oceans of kalpas,
May your vast buddha activity spread throughout the whole world,
And may the splendor of auspicious benefit and happiness blaze
throughout Jambudvīpa.

At the special request of the daughter of this family, Tseyang Palmo, who presented a gift along with an auspicious ceremonial scarf at Māratika cave, the especially sacred place where Padmākara and his consort accomplished the deathless vajrakāya, at a large gathering of dharma brothers and sisters headed by myself, the fifth holder of the Ripa lineage, Namkha Drimed Rabjam, and Sakyong Mipham Rinpoche, at a break during a long-life practice, this was written by the one who acts as a subject of the victorious Lake-Born One, the holder of the Ripa lineage, Namkha Drimed Rabjam. May it be a cause for the accomplishment of what it says.

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