THE EXCELLENT STREAM OF THE ELIXIR OF IMMORTALITY:
A PRAYER FOR THE LONG LIFE OF GLORIOUS GARCHEN
OM SWASTI MIN-GYUR DE-WA CHEN-PO CHÖ-KYI-KU / MIN-GAG NA-TSOK RANG-TSAL LONG-CHÖ
OM SWASTI Unchanging great bliss, Dharmakaya; unceasing manifold creativity, Sambhogakaya;

DZOK / MI-MIÇ NYING-JE DÖ-GAR TRUL-PE-KU / MI-CHE KU-SUM DAG-NYI KYOP-PE KYONG
dance of compassion without object, Nirmanakaya – protector, in nature the indivisible three kayas, protect us!
PE-KAR Ü-SU CHU-DRUK CHA-SHE DZOK / TÖN-DE DOK-KAR UTPAL CHAK-TU DZIN
White as the autumn moon replete with its sixteen parts, the protectress from the eight fears - mother of the three

JIK-PA GYE-KYOB DÜ-SUM GYAL-WE YUM / YI-ZHIN Khor-Lö Chi-Me TSE-JIN TSÖL
times' victors, sits in the center of a white lotus holding an utpala. Wish-granting Chakra, bestow immortal life!
PHAK-PE YÜL-NA A-RYA-DE-WA ZHE / DO-KHAM CHOK-SU GAR-GYI RIK-SU TRUL
The one known in the Holy Land as Aryadeva emanated into the Gar clan of Eastern Tibet as Chödingpa,

JIK-TEN GÖN-PÖ THUK-SE CHÖ-DING-PA / PAL-DEN GAR-CHEN KU-TSE KAL-GYAR TEN
the heart son of Jigten Sumgön. May the life of glorious Garchen remain steadfast for a hundred æons!
The full moon, ornament of the three jewels’ teaching, is exalted above the crevasses of the eastern mountains.

yet its cool rays nurture the white lilies of the lower slopes. May Garchen, the moon that benefits others, live long!
TO GÖ TAM SUM JUNG-WE LUNG-LA KUR / KHE TSÜN ZANG SUM DRUP-PE GO-CHA GÖ
Casting to the wind all concern for food, clothing and fame, he is girded with the armor of wisdom, morality and a good

TING-DZIN NAM-SUM GYA-TSÖ JING-TAR TEN / NGE-DÖN DRÖN-ME GAR-CHEN ZHAP-TEN SÖL
heart. As firm in the three samadhis as the ocean is deep — may Garchen, lampflame of definitive meaning, live long!
NYIG-DÜ GYAL-TEN NYAK-TRE NE-KAB DIR / THU-TOB DOR-JE TA-BÜ TUL ZHUK KYI

In this age of strife when the Victor’s teaching faces hardship, through his powerful, vajra-like discipline and vows,

RI-ME TEN-PE KHUR-CHI DAG-GIR ZHES / TEN-PE NYI-MA GAR-CHEN ZHAP-TEN SÖL

he takes on himself the heavy responsibility of the unbiased teaching. May Garchen, the sun of the teaching, live long!
There is no chance for demonic obstacles to affect the three secrets of the lama who possesses blessings.

yet, in accord with the principle of auspicious interdependence, this wish-granting supplication is wonderful!
CHOK-SUM TSA-SUM THUG-JE DEN-TOB DANG / MA-HA-KA-LA CHÖ-KYI-DRÖL-ME THŪ
Through the compassionate truth and power of the three jewels and three roots, and through the might of Mahakala

DAG-GI DANG-LÖ MÖN-PÈ DEN-TSIG DI / JI-ZHIN ĜEG-ME LHÜN-GYI DRUP-PAR DZÖ
and Chökyi Drölma, may these words of benediction made with pure heart be accordingly and spontaneously accomplished without hinderance!
At the request of the monks Karma Drodul and Drukseng of Lho Lungkar Monastery and others, this was composed on the 29th day of the 12th month of the water-monkey year in the 17th cycle in accord with all aspirations by K"onchog Tenzin Künzang Trinle Lhündrub, the one blessed with the name of the Victorious Drigungpa. May it bring virtue.