

Buddhist Mantras in the Form of Maṇḍala Deities: A Critical Edition and a Translation of the Sanskrit Text of the *Abhidhānottaratana*, Chapters 37, 51, 52, and 59

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Abstract

The *Abhidhānottaratana* (Abbreviated to *Abhidhānottara*, "the [Tantra] Posterior to the *Abhidhāna*") is a scripture belonging to the *Cakrasaṃvara/-śaṃvara* portion of the Buddhist Canon. The *Abhidhānottara* was compiled in the eastern area of the Indian subcontinent around the 10th century. This paper provides the first critical edition and English translation of a Sanskrit text of the 37th, 51st, 52nd, and 59th chapters of the *Abhidhānottara*. The text of its Tibetan translation (by Dīpaṃkaraśrījñāna and Rin chen bzang po) is also provided here as supporting material.

Introduction

This paper provides the first critical edition of the Sanskrit text of the 37th, 51st, 52nd, and 59th chapters of the *Abhidhānottara* or *Abhidhānottarottara-nāma-mahātantrarāja* (abbreviated to *Abhidhānottara*, "the [Tantra] Posterior to the *Abhidhāna*")¹ and its tentative English translation to show my interpretation of the syntax.² The text of its Tibetan translation (translated by Dīpaṃkaraśrījñāna and Rin chen bzang po, revised first by Jñānaśrī and Khyung po chos kyi brtson 'grus, and later by Ānanda and Lo chung) is also provided here as supporting material. The *Abhidhānottara* belongs to the *Cakrasaṃvara* (or -śaṃvara)³ tradition of esoteric Buddhism in the early medieval India and was compiled around the 10th century.⁴

¹ The *Abhidhāna* ("exposition") is an imaginary fundamental Tantra of the *Cakrasaṃvara* tradition. Chapters 9, 14, 19, 24, 39, 40, 41, and 42 of the *Abhidhānottara* are already presented by Kalff (1979). According to the used Sanskrit manuscripts and its Tibetan translation this tantra is titled *Abhidhānottara* ("the posterior to the *Abhidhāna*") in some chapters and *Abhidhānottarottara* ("the posterior to the posterior to the *Abhidhāna*") because this is a second recension from the fundamental Tantra according to the commentator Śūramgavajra [Kalff 1979: 16-18] in others.

² I published a critical edition of the Sanskrit text of Chapters 4, 5, 6, and 7 of the *Sādhananidhi* (Sugiki 2016).

³ Both *Cakrasaṃvara* and *Cakraśaṃvara* are acceptable. As for this, see Sanderson (2009: 166-169) and Sugiki (2015: 360-361). The most popular name for this scriptural tradition is *Saṃvara* (from *saṃ-vṛ* or the like, corresponding to the Tibetan *sdom pa*) or *Śaṃvara* (from *śam + vara*, corresponding to the Tibetan *bde mchog*). However, the word *Śaṃvara* also indicates the *Sarvabuddhasaṃyogatantra*. To exclude it I use the name *Cakrasaṃvara* or *Cakraśaṃvara* in the present paper.

The four chapters of the *Abhidhānottara* respectively teach the four maṇḍalas consisting of deities who are anthropomorphized transformations of the four major mantras in the *Cakrasaṃvara* tradition. The four major mantras are (I) the mantras of the six yoginīs (*sadyoginī*), which are also called the mantra of armor (*kavaca*) or the like, (II) the quasi-heart (*upahṛdaya*) mantra of Heruka, also called the seven-letter (*saptākṣara*) mantra, (III) the heart (*hrdaya*) mantra of Heruka, and (IV) the heart mantra of Vārāhī,⁵ taught respectively in 37th, 51st, 52nd, and 59th chapters. These four mantras appear first in the 8th chapter of the *Herukābhidhāna* (also named *Cakrasaṃvara* or *Laghusamvara* [or- śamvara]), the oldest scripture in the *Cakrasaṃvara* tradition, but any of the mantras is not taught in the form of a maṇḍala in the *Herukābhidhāna*.

Among the related texts,⁶ the text most closely related to the four chapters of the *Abhidhānottara* is the 8th chapter of the *Sādhananidhi* ("An Ocean of *Sādhana* Practices")⁷ composed by Kambala.⁸ The *Sādhananidhi* is a commentary on the *Herukābhidhāna*. The four maṇḍalas of the four major mantras are expounded in the 8th chapter of the *Sādhananidhi*, and most passages in the *Sādhananidhi* resemble those in the *Abhidhānottara*.

I consider that the teaching of the four maṇḍala in the *Abhidhānottara* was composed later than the teaching in the *Sādhananidhi*. I have recently published a critical edition and a translation of the Sanskrit text of the 8th chapter of the *Sādhananidhi* (Sugiki 2019). In my forthcoming publication I examine in detail the contents of those chapters of the *Sādhananidhi* and *Abhidhānottara* together with other related texts and argue the significance of those chapters⁹. I do not provide these analyses in the present paper.

⁴ The *Abhidhānottara* was composed later than the *Herukābhidhāna* (composed sometime between the 9th-10th centuries) and was translated into Tibetan by Dīpaṅkaraśrījñāna and Rin chen bzang po (10th-11th centuries CE). As for the date of compilation of the *Abhidhānottara*, see Sugiki (2015: 363).

⁵ However, there are also texts (such as *sādhana* texts belonging to Lüyīpāda's tradition) in which this mantra is taught as the quasi-heart mantra of Vārāhī.

⁶ The quasi-heart mantra of Heruka, the mantra consisting of seven letters, are visualized in the form of seven deities constituting a maṇḍala in the 51st chapter of the *Abhidhānottara*. The similar visualization of the quasi-heart or seven-letter mantra of Heruka in the form of a maṇḍala is taught in Kambala's *Sādhananidhi* (Skt ed., 8.41-60), in Durjayacandra's *Saptākṣarasādhana* and Advayavajra's *Saptākṣarasādhana* (both included in the *Sādhanamālā*, nos. 250 and 251, respectively, edited by Bhattacharya 1925), and in Kṛṣṇācārya's *Saptākṣarasādhana* (D no. 1453 and P no. 2170). I consider that the teaching in the *Sādhananidhi* is the oldest among them. Yamaguchi (1997) and Sinclair (2014) discuss several aspects of the maṇḍala of the seven-letter or quasi-heart mantra of Heruka. However, they did not investigate the *Sādhananidhi*, and their researches of the *Abhidhānottara* are based on one new and bad Sanskrit manuscript (Matsunami no. 10) and its Tibetan translation.

⁷ The available Sanskrit manuscripts give the title *Sādhananidhi* to this work. However, according to its Tibetan translation, the title of this work is *Sgrub pa'i thabs kyi gleng gzhi* and the translators' transcription of its Sanskrit title is *Sādhananidāna*. I use the title given in the Sanskrit manuscripts in this paper.

⁸ In the present paper I do not discuss about how Tantric Kambala, the author of the *Sādhananidhi*, and Yogācāra Kambala, the author of the Ālokamālā, are related together. Isaacson and Sferra argue that Kambala's Ālokamālā was composed no later than the early 9th century and it is often quoted by tantric authors (Isaacson&Sferra, 2014: 82).

⁹ Tsunehiko Sugiki, "Transgressive Appearances and Inner Meanings: Four Systems of Maṇḍala of Mantra in the *Cakrasaṃvara* Buddhist Literature."

1. Contents of the *Abhidhānottara*, Chapters 37, 51, 52, and 59

1.1. Chapter 37: The mantras of the six yoginīs

These are the mantras of the six yoginīs:

(1) *om vam*, (2) *hām yom*, (3) *hrīm mom*, (4) *hrem hrīm*, (5) *hūm hūm*, and (6) *phat phat*

Each mantra consists of two syllables. A practitioner meditates on each yoginī developed from the latter syllable of each mantra. The six yoginīs are: (1) Vārāhī (*vam*), who resides at the center of a lotus of five petals; and (2) Yāminī (*yom*), (3) Mohanī (*mom*), (4) Samcālanī (*hrīm*), (5) Samtrāsanī (*hūm*), and (6) Caṇḍikā (*phat*), who reside on the five petals around Vārāhī. These six yoginīs are also mentioned in Nāgārjuna's *Dharmasamgraha*.¹⁰ A practitioner can visualize the six yoginīs either with their male consorts or without them. Their male consorts are Vajrasattva, Vairocana, Padmanarteśvara, Heruka, Vajrasūrya, and Paramāśva, respectively. (Generally a practitioner visualizes the six yoginīs and their six male consorts on six [or more] areas of his body and the body of deity that he visualizes as armors of yoginīs and heroes for protection of the body. For this reason the six yoginīs and the six heroes are called "the two armors.")

By visualizing the maṇḍala described above and repeating the deities' mantras a practitioner can attain the state of Wheel-turner (37.18), attain the mastery of yoga and supernatural powers such as to be invisible (37.20), save sentient beings from the six realms of reincarnation, and become Vajradhara (37.21ab). Some of the effects are mundane and some appear to be supramundane.

The six pairs of a yoginī and her male consort described above can also be visualized in the form of a six-spoked maṇḍala of Mañjuvajra.¹¹ (1) Mañjuvajra and his female consort (whose name is not taught) reside at the center of the maṇḍala, and (2)-(7) the six pairs of a yoginī and her male consort, on the six spokes. The outer circle of the maṇḍala consists of the four gates and four corners. At the four gates (8) Kākāsyā, (9) Ulukāsyā, (10) Śvānāsyā, and (11) Sūkarāsyā are located. At the four corners (12) Yamadāḍhī, (13) Yamadūtī, (14) Yamadamṛṣṭī, and (15) Yamamathanī are situated. These eight dākinīs are identical with the eight dākinīs who constitute the vow circle (*samayacakra*) of the most popular Heruka maṇḍala consisting of sixty-two deities in the *Cakrasaṃvara* tradition.

The text explains which doctrinal concept constitutes the purity (*suddhi/viśuddhi*) inherent

¹⁰ Nāgārjuna's *Dharmasamgraha*, Skt ed., 13 (*śad yoginyah / tadyathā vajravārāhī yāminī samcāraṇī samtrāsanī caṇḍikā ceti / [mohanī is omitted in the edition]*).

¹¹ All the visualization and effects that I described up to the previous paragraph are taught in the *Abhidhānottara*, Skt ed., 37.1-21ab. The visualization of the Mañjuvajra maṇḍala that I describe here is taught in the *Abhidhānottara*, 37.21c-37.50. The maṇḍala of Mañjuvajra which is here described is different from Mañjuvajra maṇḍalas taught in Abhayākarakagupta's *Nispannayogāvalī* (its 1st and 20th sections).

in, or symbolic meaning of, each deity of the Mañjuvajra maṇḍala. The purity of Mañjuvajra is the Dharma Quality that is Perfectly Pure (*suviśuddhadharmadhātu*); the six yoginīs, the first six pairs of the Ten Perfections (*daśapāramitā*) and the Ten Levels (*daśabhūmi*); the four gate-keeper dākinīs, the remaining four pairs of the Ten Perfections and the Ten Levels; and the dākinīs at the four corners on the outer circle, the Four Noble Truths (*āryasatya*).

The chapter is closed with the words that practicing the two armors (viz., the six pairs of a yoginī and her male consort) makes all rituals fruitful (37.52). The *Vṛtti* commentary explains details as follows. A practitioner visualizes the maṇḍala of the two armor deities described above in the heart of or in the object held in (or finger gesture made by) the hand of each deity of any maṇḍala that he practices. Alternatively, he arranges the mantras of two armors on the body of each deity for protection (which is more general way of visualizing the two armor mantras). By these he attains any accomplishment that he wishes (D 201r6-r7). The *Vṛtti* also comments that a practitioner visualizes the six yoginīs on the five fingers and nails of his left hand, the six male consort deities on the five fingers and nails of his right hand, and the maṇḍala consisting of them on the palm of his hands (D 201r6-r7).

1.2. Chapter 51: The quasi-heart mantra of Heruka

Heruka's quasi-heart mantra consists of seven letters. The mantra is as follows:

om hrīḥ ha ha hūṁ hūṁ phat

A practitioner visualizes that these seven letters are developed into one pair of male and female deities and six individual female deities. They are: (1) Vajradāka, alias Heruka, and his consort Vārāhī (*hūṁ*), who reside at the center; and (2) Herukī, alias Herukavajrā (*phat*), (3) Vajrabhairavī (*hūṁ*), (4) Ghoracandī (*ha*), (5) Vajrabhāskarī (*ha*), (6) Vajraraudrī (*hrīḥ*), and (7) Vajradākinī (*om*), who are located around the pair of Vajradāka and Vārāhī.

The purity inherent in these seven deities is the Seven Limbs of Enlightenment (*saptabodhyāṅga*).

Even a practitioner of little merit can attain accomplishment (*siddhi*) in half a month by performing the visualization of the maṇḍala and recitation of the seven-letter mantra, and if always performing them all day, he attains accomplishment in seven days. A sort of sexual yoga connected with this performance is taught in the last line of the chapter (51.19): If a practitioner performs the visualization and recitation on the day of the full moon in the Vaiśākha month with females (ritually called a mother, a sister, a daughter, and a sister's daughter), he can become equal to Heruka.

1.3. Chapter 52: The heart mantra of Heruka

The heart mantra of Heruka consists of twenty-two letters. The effect of practicing it is explained simply as gaining benefits (52.1b). The mantra is as follows:

om śrīvajra-he-he-ru-ru-kam hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ dākinījālasaṁvaraṁ svāhā

A practitioner meditates on twenty-two deities who are developed from the twenty-two letters. Each letter is used as the initial letter of each deity's name except for the first and second deities. The twenty-two deities are: (1) Heruka, also called Herukavajra (*hūṁ*), and (2) Vārāhī (*śrī*), who are the chief couple deities located at the center of a lotus of eight petals; (3) Praṇavaḍākinī (*om*), (4) Vaḍavāmukhaḍākinī, alias Vadavāmukhī (*va*), (5) Jraśogrā (*jra*), and (6) Hemābhā, alias Hemābhaḍākinī (*he*), who, with the four skull bowls filled with the milk of awakening, reside on the eight petals of a lotus; (7) Helikā (*he*), (8) Rucakī (*ru*), (9) Rucakamālinī (*ru*), (10) Kaṅkalinī (*kaṇ*), (11) Hūṁkārinī, alias Hūṁkārī (*hūṁ*), (12) Phaṭkārinī (*phaṭ*), (13) Dāmarī (*dā*), and (14) Kilikilā (*ki*), who reside on the eight spokes; (15) Nīlodbhavā (*nī*), (16) Jālottamā (*jā*), (17) Lambodarī (*la*), and (18) Śambarī (*śam/sam*), who reside at the four corners of the outer circle; and (19) Varālogrā (*va*), (20) Ramakogrā (*ram*), (21) Svābhajālottamā (*svā*), and (22) Hārvijayottamā (*hā*), who reside at the four gates on the outer circle.

Both Heruka and his consort goddess Vārāhī have eight faces and sixteen arms. The Eight Liberations (*aṣṭavimokṣa*) and the Sixteen Emptinesses (*sodaśaśūnyatā*) constitute the purity of the eight faces and the purity of the sixteen arms, respectively. Heruka and Vārāhī also represent the Eighty Marks (*asītyanuvyañjana*) and the Thirty-two Features (*dvātrimśallakṣaṇa*), respectively. The purities of the goddesses (3)-(6), (7)-(10), (11)-(14), (15)-(18), and (19)-(22) are respectively the Four Analytical knowledges (*pratisamvid*), the Four Refuges (*catasrah pratiśaraṇāni*), the Four Summaries of the Dharma (*catvāri dharmapadāni*), the Four Fearlessnesses (*catvāri vaiśāradadyāni*), and four of the Five Faculties (viz., faith, effort, recollection, and concentration faculties).

14. Chapter 59: The heart mantra of Vārāhī

The heart mantra of Vārāhī is comprised of thirteen letters. The mantra is as follows:

om vajravairocanīye hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā

The thirteen letters are transformed in meditation into thirteen deities. They are: (1) Vārāhī, alias Vajravārāhī (*hā*), who resides at the center of a lotus; (2) Praṇavā (*om*), (3) Vaḍavā (*va*), (4) Jraginī (*jra*), and (5) Vairinī (*vai*), who reside at the four gates; (6) Roṣanī (*ro*), (7) Capalā (*ca*), (8) Nīhārī (*nī*), and (9) Yemalā (*ye*), who reside on the four petals of a lotus facing towards the intermediate directions; and (10) Hūṁkārī (*hūṁ*), (11) Hutāśanī (*hūṁ*), (12) Phaṭnī (*phaṭ*), and (13) Svākārī (*svā*), who reside on the four petals of a lotus facing towards the four cardinal directions. All these female deities have their male consorts who resemble their consort female deities in appearance and are in sexual union with them. However, indi-

vidual names of the male consorts are not taught.

The text does not explain which doctrinal concepts constitute the purity of those deities. The effect of practicing the mantra is explained briefly as fulfilling all wishes (59.16cd).

2. Employed Materials

For editing the chapters 37, 51, 52, and 59 of the Sanskrit *Abhidhānottara*, I have used the following five Sanskrit manuscripts:

- I: The Institute for the Advanced Study of World Religions (abbrev. IASWR) George & Stablein catalogue (George&Stablein 1975) I-100. Palm leaf (194 folios, 6 of which are missing). Incomplete. Dated NS 258. Hook-topped Newar script. Chapter 37: 125r2-127v8 (leaves from 128r to 132v that contain the ending passages of this chapter are missing); Chapter 51: (leaves that contain the whole chapter are missing); Chapter 52: (leaves from 151r to 153v that contain the opening passages of this chapter are missing) 154r1-155v6; and Chapter 59: 173r3-174r4. The title given in its colophon is *mahātantra* (corruption) (194v6). Nepal-German Manuscript Preservation Project (abbreviated to NGMPP) E1517/7¹² is a different microfilm of the same Sanskrit manuscript.
- B: NGMPP B113/4. Paper (198 folios). Dated NS 834 (a bit blurred and unclear). Newar script. Chapter 37: 123v6-127v3; Chapter 51: 151r1-152r6; Chapter 52: 152r6-156r3; and Chapter 59: 174r5-175v2. The title given in its colophon is *mahātantra* (corruption) (198r2).
- C: The Asiatic Society of Bengal, Kolkata (Calcutta), Śāstrī catalogue (A Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Government Collection under the Care of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, Vol. 1, 1917, Calcutta) no. 58, Accession no. G10759. Paper (116 folios). Dated NS 418. Newar script. Chapter 37: 80r4-81v9; Chapter 51: 92v6-93r9; Chapter 52: 93r9-95r8; and Chapter 59: 104r3-v3. The title given in its colophon is *abhidhānottarottarā nāma mahātantrarājas* (116r3).
- E: NGMPP E695/3 (preserving between leaves 1r [the beginning] and 160r) = NGMPP no. E696/1 (preserving between leaves 146v and 247v [the ending]). Paper (247 folios). Dated NS 765. Newar script. Chapter 37: 162v4-167r5; Chapter 51: 195r1-196v2; Chapter 52: 196v2-200v2; and Chapter 59: 220v3-222r3. The title given in its colophon is *abhidhānottarottare nāma mahātantrarājas* (247r5).
- M: The library of the University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Matsunami catalogue (Matsunami 1965) 12. Paper (245 folios). Undated. Newar script. Chapter 37: 156r4-160v5; Chap-

¹² Probably Szántó (2012: 227) first mentioned NGMPP E1517/7 as a Sanskrit manuscript of the *Abhidhānottara*.

ter 51: 187v3-189r3; Chapter 52: 189r3-193v4; and Chapter 59: 216r4-217v4. The title given in its colophon is *śrī-abhidhānottarottaranāmamahātantrarājah* (234r2).

These Sanskrit manuscripts can be roughly divided into two groups: Manuscripts (I)(B)(C)(E) and manuscript (M). The former group is then divided into two: Manuscripts (I)(B) and manuscripts (C)(E). I have used manuscript (I), the oldest, as the base manuscript. As mentioned above, some leaves are missing in manuscript (I). However, manuscript (B) is helpful: Manuscript (B) seems to have been copied directly from, or to be a very close indirect copy of, manuscript (I) before the leaves were lost. Therefore, most passages contained in the missing leaves in manuscript (I) can be restored from manuscript (B), although there are more scribal errors in manuscript (B). (I did not use the Sanskrit manuscript reproduced by Lokesh Candra from Prof. Raghuvira's collection [titled *Abhidhānottara-Tantra: A Sanskrit Manuscript from Nepal*, Śata-Piṭaka Series vol. 263, New Delhi, 1981], which I consider belongs to the group of manuscripts (C)(E) and which includes more scribal errors.)

As for the Tibetan text, I have used these two versions of Tibetan translation (Tib). I have used D as the base text.

- D: Tohoku University catalogue no. 369. The Kangyur division of the sDe dge edition of the Tibetan Tripitaka. Chapter 37: 324v6-327r3; Chapter 51: 340v5-341v2; Chapter 52: 341v2-344r1; and Chapter 59: 355r2-355v5.
- P: Otani University catalogue no. 17. The Kangyur division of the Peking edition of the Tibetan Tripitaka. Chapter 37: 181r1-183r6; Chapter 51: 197r6-198r5; Chapter 52: 198r5-200v5; and Chapter 59: 212r4-v8.

I have consulted Śūraṅgavajra's *Vṛtti* commentary on the *Abhidhānottara* (D 1414, Chapter 37: 200r5-201r7; Chapter 51: 217r3-v1; Chapter 52: 217v1-v7; and Chapter 59: 224v6-225r3).¹³ I have also drawn on the Sanskrit edition of the 8th chapter of the *Sādhananidhi*, which contains many parallel passages as shown below.

- Abhidhānottara*, Skt ed., 52.1-52.44 —— *Sādhananidhi*, Skt ed., 8.5-8.40.
- Abhidhānottara*, Skt ed., 51.1-51.16 —— *Sādhananidhi*, Skt ed., 8.42-8.60.
- Abhidhānottara*, Skt ed., 37.1-37.11 —— *Sādhananidhi*, Skt ed., 8.63-8.73.
- Abhidhānottara*, Skt ed., 59.2-59.16 —— *Sādhananidhi*, Skt ed., 8.75-8.91.

¹³ Śūraṅgavajra's commentary was composed after Nāropa (his *Dgyes pa'i rdo rje yan lag drug*), Tilopa, and Ratnākaraśānti (his commentary on the *Hevajratantra*, the *Muktāvalī*) because they are mentioned in it (D 217r6-r7), and it was translated into Tibetan by 'Phags pa shes rab following Jñānaśrīmitra's words ('phags pa shes rab kyis dznyā na shri mi tra'i gsung ji lta ba bzhin du bsgyur, D 232r7). If these Ratnākaraśānti and Jñānaśrīmitra are identical with the well-known Mahāyāna scholarly monks Ratnākaraśānti and Jñānaśrīmitra (who were active in the 11th century), these suggest that Śūraṅgavajra's commentary was composed in the 11th century.

I have also consulted Sanskrit editions of other texts having parallels or related passages. I have mentioned those texts in the critical apparatus.

3. Meter

I consider that all verses in the chapters of the *Abhidhānottara* edited here are *anuṣṭubh* verses. Among those that are metrical, most verses are *pathyā*, and the following verses are *vipulā*:

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| na-vipulā: | 37.6cd, 37.10cd, 37.35ab, 51.3d (only the odd <i>pāda</i>), 51.4cd, 52.9c (only the odd <i>pāda</i>) |
| bha-vipulā: | 37.3ab, 37.5cd, 37.9ab, 37.9cd, 37.10ab, 37.33cd, 51.5ab, 51.11ab, 52.3ab, 52.18cd, 52.24ab, 52.27cd, 52.29cd, 52.32cd, 52.33cd, 52.34cd, 52.37ab, 52.42ab, 59.1ab, 59.13cd, |

Some grammatical peculiarities are found in the edited chapters, such as *-vāsa* used for *-vāsā* (37.10a) and *-cakravartinah* used for *-cakravartī* (37.18d). They seem to have occurred to accommodate the meter. I have indicated those words with the sign “*m.c.*” (metri causa) in the critical apparatus. For example, “*-vāsa (m.c. for -vāsā)*” (37.10a) in the critical apparatus means that the grammatically irregular “*-vāsa*” is used for “*-vāsā*” to accommodate the meter.

There are also verses in the edited chapters in which the metrical rule is not strictly followed. In the edition, I have indicated *pāda* divisions, hypermetrical *pādas*, hypometrical *pādas*, and other unmetrical *pādas* (in which a heavy or light syllable is wrongly applied) as follows:

<i>pāda</i> •	odd numbered <i>pāda</i>
• <i>pāda</i>	even numbered <i>pāda</i>
<i>pāda</i> • <i>pāda</i>	an odd <i>pāda</i> + an even <i>pāda</i>
<i>pāda</i> • <i>pāda</i> •	an odd <i>pāda</i> + an odd <i>pāda</i> (i.e., an odd <i>pāda</i> is placed in the place of an even <i>pāda</i>)
• <i>pāda</i> • <i>pāda</i>	an even <i>pāda</i> + an even <i>pāda</i> (i.e., an even <i>pāda</i> is placed in the place of an odd <i>pāda</i>)
<i>pāda</i> ^e	hypermetrical <i>pāda</i>
<i>pāda</i> ^o	hypometrical <i>pāda</i>
<i>pāda</i> ^u	other unmetrical <i>pāda</i>

4. Editorial Policy and Conventions

Signs that I have used for the critical apparatus (both in Sanskrit and Tibetan texts) are as fol-

lows:

ac	ante correction
add.	added in
cf.	confer
corr.	correction of orthographical variants
em.	emendation
m.c.	metri causa
n.e.	no equivalent in
om.	omitted in
pc	post correction
r	recto
v	verso
..	an <i>akṣara</i> illegible due to blurring
.	part(s) of an <i>akṣara</i> illegible due to blurring
++	an <i>akṣara</i> illegible due to damage of leaf
+	part(s) of an <i>akṣara</i> illegible due to damage of leaf
##	an <i>akṣara</i> erased for cancellation and hence illegible
#	part(s) of an <i>akṣara</i> erased for cancellation and hence illegible
~(akṣara)	an <i>akṣara</i> marked with a wave (~) on it (such as ~r and ~ś)
/	<i>dandā</i> or <i>shad</i>
//	<i>dvidandā</i> or <i>nyis shad</i>
◆	separates comments on different words

In the footnotes, I have marked the accepted reading by a lemma sign ‘]’. This is followed by information on variant readings and the reason for my decision. For example, “athānyam] IC (de nas gzhan yang Tib); athānya BEM” (37.1a) means: “I have accepted I and C’s reading of ‘athānyam’; I have not accepted B, E, and M’s reading of ‘athānya’; and the Tibetan translation ‘de nas gzhan yang’ accords with the accepted reading.”

Editorial decisions have been made regarding the division of verses and paragraphs. The used punctuation marks are *dandas* (and double *dandas* in verses) and commas in the Sanskrit text and *shads* and double *shads* in the Tibetan text. I have not reported conventional *dandas*. While I have consistently applied the classical rules of *sandhi* (except for cases in which the rules are not applied to accommodate the meter), I have not reported either non-application of *sandhi* or misapplication of *sandhi*. Orthographical variants that I have not reported are: gemination of consonants after -r, degemination of t before -v, and non-occurrence of *avagraha*. However, when they appear in the apparatus, I have noted them. I have corrected all words ūrddha to ūrdhva and all words kartti/karttikā to karttr/karttrkā without report.

5. Critical Edition and Translation

5.1. *Abhidhānottara*, Chapter 37

athānyam̄ sampravakṣyāmi • ṣadyoginyā vidhikramam /¹⁴
pañcapattram̄ likhet padmam • karnikākeśarākulam //1//¹⁵

/ de nas gzhan yang bshad bya ba /¹⁶/ rnal 'byor ma drug cho ga'i rim /
/ pa dma 'dab lnga bris nas ni /¹⁷/ lte ba ge sar khyab par ni //

Now I shall explain the ritual sequence of the six yoginīs. [A practitioner] should draw a lotus, [which has] five petals and [whose] pericarp is abundant with stamens and pistils.

tatra madhye tu vārāhī • raktacitrojjvalaprabhā /¹⁸
trimukhā ṣadbhujā saumyā • trinetrā muktakeśikā //2//¹⁹

/ de yi dbus su phag mo ni // dmar zhing sna tshogs 'bar ba'i 'od /
/ zhal gsum pa la phyag drug mdzes // spyan gsum dbu skra grol ba ste //

At that center is Vārāhī, red, wonderful, blazing, and splendid, [having] three faces, [complete with] six arms, looking friendly, [having] three eyes [on each face], [her] hair untied,

kapālamālāmakuṭā • digambaradharā parā /²⁰
sanṛtyārdhaparyāṅkā° • ṣaṇmudrādehabhūṣitā //3//²¹

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // phyogs kyi gos ni 'dzin pa'i mchog /
/ skyil krung phyed pa gar dang bcas /²²/ phyag rgya drug gis sku brgyan cing //

¹⁴ athānyam̄] IC (de nas gzhan yang Tib); athānya BEM◆ sampravakṣyāmi] ICEM (bshad bya ba Tib); sampravakṣāmi B◆ -yoginyā] IBCEM (rnal 'byor ma Tib); yogī nyā◆ -kramam] B (rim Tib); kramām̄ ICEM

¹⁵ -keśarā-] ICKBE (ge sar Tib); keśalā M

¹⁶ bya ba] D; bya pa P

¹⁷ pa dma] D; pad ma P◆'dab] D; mdab P

¹⁸ vārāhī] IB (phag mo Tib); vārāhyā CEM◆ -citro-] CE (sna tshogs Tib); citto IBM◆ -prabhā] CE ('od Tib); prabhām̄ IB; prabhām̄ M

¹⁹ -mukhā] CE (zhal Tib); mukha IB; mukhām̄ M◆ -bhujā] IBCE (phyag Tib); bhujām̄ M◆ saumyā] IBCE (mdzes Tib); saumyām̄ M◆ -netrā] IBCE (spyan Tib); netrām̄ M◆ -keśikā] IBpcCE (dbu skra Tib); keśikāḥ Bac; keśikām̄ M

²⁰ -makuṭā] IBE (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukuṭā CM

²¹ -rdhaparyāṅkā] M (skyil krung phyed pa Tib.); -rddhaparyāṅka IB; ddhaparyyyāṅkā C; dvayaparyyyāṅko E

²² skyil krung] D; dkyil dkrung P

[wearing] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, naked, excellent, dancing in the ardhaparyāṅka posture, ornamented with the six mudrās on [her] body,

muṇḍasragdāmadehā° • kālarātry adhogatā° /²³
pādākrāntagatāḥ sarve • duṣṭā mārāridevatā //4//²⁴

/ mgo bo'i phreng ba 'dzin pa ste // gdug pa'i bdud ni thams cad dang /
/ dus mtshan kha ssub byas pa la /²⁵/ zhabs kyis kyang ni mnan par bzhugs //

and [wearing] a wreath of hairless heads [as a necklace] on [her] body. Kālarātrī is placed beneath. All evils [placed on Kālarātrī] have gone to [the state of being] placed under [Vārāhī's] feet. [Vārāhī] is a deity [who is] enemy to Māra.

raktanīlaharitā° • pañcamudrair alamkṛtā /²⁶
kapālakhatvāṅgadharā • pāśāṅkuśakarā parā //5//²⁷

/ dmar dang sngo dang ljang ba ste // sangs rgyas lngas ni rnam par brgyan /
/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwām 'dzin // zhags pa lcags kyu phyag na bsnams //

[has three faces colored respectively] red, dark blue, and green, is adorned with the five mudrās, holds a skull bowl and a skull staff, has a noose and a hook, is excellent,

muṇḍakartṛḍharā devī • sarvasiddhipradāyikā /²⁸
hṛdaye jñānasamayam • kāyavākcittayogajam //6//²⁹

²³ -sragdāma-] IBCE (phreng ba Tib); śragdāma M◆-dehā] em.; dehā nūpurā IB; dharā CE; dharārā M; 'dzin pa Tib. ◆ kālarātry adhogatā] em.; kālarātrā'dhogatāḥ IB; kārātryā adhoddhyatā C; kālarātprā a## Eac; kālarātprā adhorddhatā Epc; kālarātryā'dhoddhyatā M; dus mtshan kha ssub byas pa la Tib; cf. kālarātry adhahṛktā Sādhananidhi (8.65d)

²⁴ -krāntagatāḥ] em. (mnām par bzhugs Tib); krāntamatā IB; krāntamānā CE; krāntamanā M; cf. -krāntagatāḥ Sādhananidhi (8.66a) ◆ sarve duṣṭā] em. (gdug pa'i and thams cad Tib); sarvvā duṣṭā IB; sarvaduṣṭā CE; sarvāduṣṭā M; cf. sarve duṣṭā Sādhananidhi (8.66ab) ◆ -rāridevatā] em.; rāridevatām IBCE: rāridevatām M; n.e. Tib.

²⁵ kha ssub] D; khas spub P

²⁶ raktanīla-] IBpcCEM (dmar dang sngo dang Tib); om. Bac ◆ -haritā] BpcE (ljang ba Tib); haritām ICM; om. Bac ◆ -mudrair] ICM; mudair B; mudrā E; sangs rgyas Tib. ◆ alamkṛtā] em. (rnām par brgyan Tib); alamkṛtām IBCM; lalamkṛtā E

²⁷ -dharā] IBE ('dzin Tib); dharām CM◆parā] E; parām IBCM; bsnams Tib.

²⁸ -dharā] IBpcE ('dzin Tib); dharām CM; dhadha Bac ◆ devī] IpcBM; om. IacCE; n.e. Tib◆-pradāyikā] E (rab to stsol Tib); pradāyikām IBCM; cf. -pradāyikā Sādhananidhi (8.67d)

²⁹ jñānasamayam] IBpcCM; (ye shes dam tshig Tib); samayam Bac; jñānasamaye E; cf. hṛdi jñānapadām dhyātvā and hṛdi-jñānapadām Sādhananidhi (8.56a and 8.92a) ◆ -yogajam] em. (sbyor las byung Tib); yogajām IBCM; yogajā E

/ mgo bo dang ni gri gug 'dzin // dngos grub thams cad rab tu stsol /
 / snying gar ye shes dam tshig ni ³⁰/ sku gsung thugs su sbyor las byung //

holds a hairless head and a knife, is a goddess, and gives all accomplishments. In [her] heart is the pledge of gnosis born of the yoga of body, word, and mind.

pūrvādau yāminī devī • vāmāvarteṣu vinyaset ³¹
 mohanī samcālanī^u • samtrāsanī caṇḍikā tathā^e //7//³²

/ shar phyogs lha mo ya mi ni // g-yon du bskor nas rnam par dgod /
 / rmongs byed ma dang skyod byed ma ³³/ skrag byed ma dang tsa ḥdi ka //³⁴

On [the five petals] starting with the east [petal] are the goddess[es] Yāminī, Mohanī, Samcālanī, Samtrāsanī, and Caṇḍikā. He should arrange [them] counterclockwise.

trinetrā muktakeśā tu • ekavaktrā caturbhujā ³⁵
 nīlā sitā ca • haritā dhūmradhūsarā //8//

/ spyan gsum dbu skra grol ba ste // zhal gcig pa la phyag bzhi pa ³⁶
 / sngo dang dkar dang ser ba dang // ljang khu dud pa'i mdog can te //

[Every yoginī has] three eyes, [has her] hair untied, [has] one face, and [complete with] four arms. [Yāminī is] dark blue; [Mohanī,] white; [Samcālanī,] yellow; [Samtrāsanī,] green; and [Caṇḍikā,] smoke-like gray [in color].

kapālakhaṭvāṅgadharā • ghaṇṭāḍamarukartṛkā /
 kapālamālāmakuṭā • pañcamudrāvibhūṣitā //9//³⁷

/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ 'dzin // dril bu cang te'u gri gug dang /
 / thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // phyag rgya Inga yis rnam par brgyan //

³⁰ snying gar] D; snying kar P

³¹ yāminī IBpcCEM (ya mi ni Tib); yāmi## Bac◆ vinyaset] CEM (rnam par dgod Tib); vinyasyet IB

³² mohanī] BCE (rmongs byed ma Tib); mohinī IM◆ samcālanī] CE (skyod byed ma Tib); sañcālinī I; sañcāri nī B; samcāriṇī M◆ samtrāsanī] CE (skrag byed ma Tib); santrāsinī IB; samtrāsinī M◆ caṇḍikā] I (tsa ḥdi ka Tib); caṇḍikā B; caṇḍikās C; caṇḍikās EM

³³ rmongs] D; mongs P

³⁴ tsa ḥdi ka] D; tsan ḥdi ka P

³⁵ catur-] ICEM (bzhi pa Tib); catu B

³⁶ gcig] D; cig P

³⁷ -mālā-] IBpcCEM (phreng ba'i Tib); mā## Bac◆ -makuṭā] IBC (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukuṭā EM◆ -vibhūṣitā] IBCM (rnam par brgyan Tib); vibhuṣitā E

[Every yoginī] holds a skull bowl and a skull staff, [has] a bell, a drum, and a knife, [wears] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, and is ornamented with the five mudrās.

digvāsa sā nr̄tyaparā • muṇḍamālāvibhūṣitā /³⁸
akṣobhyabuddhamakuṭā • karuṇārasasatsukhā //10//³⁹

/ phyogs kyi gos can gar gyi mchog // mgo bo'i phreng bas rnam par brgyan /
/ mi bskyod pa yi cod pan 'chang // thugs rje'i nyams kyi bde ba ste //

She (viz., every yoginī) is naked, is eagerly engaged in dancing, is ornamented with a garland of hairless heads, [wears] a diadem [to which an image of] Akṣobhya Buddha [is fixed], is in the right pleasure of compassionate feeling,

advayayogasamāpannā^e • vajrasattvāditatparā /⁴⁰

/ gnyis med sbyor bas mnyam par ldan // rdo rje sems sogz mchog de nyid /

and is in the nondual yoga, being intent on Vajrasattva or another [male deity who is her consort].

vārāhyā vajrasattvas tu • yāminyā vairocanaḥ smṛtaḥ /⁴¹
mohanyā padmanarteśah • saṃcālyā herukas tathā /⁴²
trāsanyā vajrasūryas tu • caṇḍikāparamāśvayoh //12//⁴³

/ phag mo dang ni rdo rje sems // ya mi ni dang rnam snang mdzad //

³⁸ -vāsa (*m.c.* for -vāsā)] IBC (gos can Tib); vāsā EM ♦ sā nr̄tyaparā] IB; sā nr̄tyapadā C; nr̄tyapadā; EM; gar gyi mchog Tib♦-vibhūṣitā] IBCM (rnam par brgyan Tib); vibhūṣitā E

³⁹ -buddha-] CE; baddha IB; vajra M; *n.e.* Tib; cf. akṣobhyabuddhamakuṭāḥ *Abhidhānottara* (52.37c) ♦ -makuṭā] IBE; mukuṭā C ♦ karuṇārasasatsukhā] *em.*; karuṇārasarasotsukā IBM; karuṇārasarasautsukā CE; thugs rje'i nyams kyi bde ba Tib; cf. karuṇārāgasatsukhā *Abhidhānottara* (52.17d) and karuṇākulasatsukhā *Sādhananidhi* (8.70b)

⁴⁰ -ditatparā] *em.* (sogs mchog de nyid Tib); ditatparāṁ I; ditatparāṁ B; ditah parā CE; ditaḥ parāṁ M; cf. -ditatparāḥ *Sādhananidhi* (8.72)

⁴¹ vajrasattvas] M; vajrasatvam IB; satvas CE; rdo rje sems Tib ♦ yāminyā] BE (ya i ni dang Tib); yāminyām ICM♦vairocanaḥ] *em.* (rnam snang mdzad Tib); vairocanaṁ IBCE; vairocana M♦smṛtaḥ] *em.*; smṛtam IBCEM; *n.e.* Tib

⁴² mohanyā] E (rmongs byed ma dang Tib); mohinyā IBM; mohinyām C ♦ padmanarteśah] *em.* (pa dma'i gar Tib); padmanarttesam IB; padmanartteśvaraṁ C; padmanṛtyāśvaraṁ E; padmanṛtyeśa M ♦ saṃcālyā] IBCM (skyod byed ma dang Tib); saṃcārā E

⁴³ trāsanyā] *em.* (skrag byed Tib); trāsinyā IBC; saṃtrāsinyā EM♦-sūryas] *em.* (nyi ma Tib); sūryām IB; sūryyās CE; sūryam M♦caṇḍikā-] CEM (tsa ḥdi ka Tib); caṇḍikāt IB♦-paramāśvayoh] IBCE (rta mchog Tib); paramāśvayaḥ M

/ rmongs byed ma dang pa dma'i gar /⁴⁴/ skyod byed ma dang khtag 'thung ste /
 / skrag byed rdo rje nyi ma dang // tsa ḥdi ka dang rta mchog ste //⁴⁵

Vajrasattva is with Vārāhī. Vairocana is taught to be with Yāminī. Padmanarteśa is with Mohanī. Heruka is with Saṃcālī (viz., Saṃcālanī), likewise. Vajrasūrya is with Trāsanī (viz., Samtrāsanī). [The same is said] to Caṇḍikā and Paramāśva.

vajrasattvah sitadehah /⁴⁶ vairocanah pītah /⁴⁷ padmanarteśvaro raktaḥ /⁴⁸
 heruko nīlah /⁴⁹ vajrasūryo raktaḥ /⁵⁰ paramāśvo haritah /13/⁵¹

/ rdo rje sems sku dkar po ste // rnam par snang mdzad ser po yin /
 / pa dma gar dbang dmar po ste /⁵²/ he ru ka dpal sngon po yin //
 / rdo rje nyi ma dmar po ste // rta mchog dag ni ljang gu'o /⁵³

Vajrasattva [has] a white body. Vairocana is yellow. Padmanarteśvara is red. Heruka is dark blue. Vajrasūrya is red. Paramāśva is green.

athavā pṛthak pṛthak tu bhāvayet /14/⁵⁴

/ yang na so sor bsgom par bya /

Alternatively, he should visualize [the yoginīs and their male consorts] separately.

vajrasattvas trimukhah ṣaḍbhujas trinetrah ṣaṇmudrācihnabhūṣito vajragha-
 ṇṭākapālakhaṭvāṅgāsiḍamarumuṇḍadharo nṛtyamāno naracarmanivasanah /⁵⁵
 sarve vairocanādīvīrā ekavaktrāś caturbhujāḥ kapālakhaṭvāṅgaḍamarusvacihna-

⁴⁴ pa dma'i] D; pad ma'i P

⁴⁵ tsa ḥdi ka] D; tsan di ka P

⁴⁶ vajrasattvah sitadehah] em. (rdo rje sems sku dkar po Tib); vajrasatvasitadeho 'gram IB;
 vajrasatvasitadehogram CE; vajrasatvasitam deho agra M

⁴⁷ vairocanah] em. (rnam par snang mdzad Tib); vairocanam IBCEM ◆ pītah] IBM (ser po Tib); pīta
 CE

⁴⁸ padmanarteśvaro] em. (pa dma gar dbang Tib); padmanartteśvaraṁ IBM; padmeśvaraṁ CE ◆ raktaḥ
] em. (dmar po Tib); raktaṁ IBCEM

⁴⁹ heruko] em.; herukam IBCEM; he ru ka dpal Tib. ◆ nīlah] em. (sngon po Tib); nīlāṁ IB; nīlaṁ CM;
 nīraṁ E

⁵⁰ -sūryo] em. (nyi ma Tib); sūrya IBpcM; sūryya CE; sū## Bac ◆ raktaḥ] em. (dmar po Tib); raktaṁ
 IBCEM

⁵¹ paramāśvo] em. (rta mchog Tib); paramāśvam IBM; padmeśvam C; padmeśvaraṁ E ◆ haritah] IB
 (ljang gu Tib); haritaṁ CM; harītaṁ E

⁵² pa dma] D; pad ma P

⁵³ ljang gu'o] D; ljang khu'o P

⁵⁴ pṛthak pṛthak] em. (so sor Tib); pṛthakpṛthakam IB; pṛthak pṛthaks CE; pṛthak pṛthakn M

ghanṭādharaḥ /⁵⁶ athavā sarvān dvādaśabhujaḥ ṣaḍānanān dhyāyāt /15/⁵⁷

/ rdo rje sems dpa' zhal gsum pa //
 / phyag drug spyan ni gsum pa ste // phyag rgya drug gi mtshan gyis brgyan /
 / rdo rje dril bu thod kha ṭwāṁ // ral gri cang te'u mgo bo 'chang //
 / na ra'i pags mnabs gar dang bcas /⁵⁸/ rnam snang la sogs dpa' bo kun /⁵⁹
 / zhal gcig pa la phyag bzhi pa /⁶⁰/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ dang //
 / cang te'u dril bus mtshan pa'i mchog /⁶¹/ yang na thams cad phyag bcu gnyis /
 / zhal gdong drug par bsgom par bya /

Vajrasattva [has] three faces, [has] six arms, [has] three eyes [on each face], is ornamented with the six mudrā marks, holds a vajra, a bell, a skull bowl, a skull staff, a scimitar, a drum, and a hairless head, is dancing, and wears [a garment made of] some human skin. All [other] heroes, such as Vairocana, [each have] one face, [are complete with] four arms, and hold a skull bowl, a skull staff, a drum, each one's own mark, and a bell. Alternatively, he should meditate on all [heroes having] twelve arms [and having] six faces.

eteśāṁ mantrāṇi bhavanti —
 om śrī om vam vāṁ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /
 om śrī hāṁ yom yāṁ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /⁶²
 om śrī hrīṁ mom mom hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /
 om śrī hrem hrīṁ sam hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /⁶³
 om śrī hūṁ hūṁ sam hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /⁶⁴
 om śrī phaṭ phaṭ cam hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /⁶⁵
 iti ṣadyoginyā mantraḥ /16/⁶⁶

⁵⁵ -sattvas] em. (sems dpa' Tib); satvam IBCEM ♦-mukhaḥ] em. (zhal Tib); mukham IBCEM ♦-bhujas] em. (phyag Tib); bhujam IBCEM ♦-netraḥ] em. (spyan Tib); netram IBCEM ♦-mudrā-] IBpcCEM (phyag rgya Tib); muṭrā Bac ♦-bhūṣito] em. (brgyan Tib); bhūṣitam IBCEM ♦-ghanṭākapāla-] BCEM (dril bu thod Tib); +++++++ I ♦-khaṭvāṅgāsi-] M (kha ṭwāṁ // ral gri Tib); khaṭvāsi IB; khaṭvāṅgāsita CE ♦-dharo] em. ('chang Tib); dharāṁ IBCM; mālā E♦nṛtyamāno] em. (gar dang bcas Tib); nṛtyamānām IBM; nṛtyamānā CE ♦nara-] IBEM (na ra'i Tib); nava C♦-nivasanah] em. (mnabs Tib); nivasanām IBCM; nivasanā E

⁵⁶ sarve] IBM (kun Tib); sarva C; sarvva E♦-vaktrāś] em. (zhal Tib); vaktrā IBpcCEM; va## Bac ♦-svacihna-] IBEM; svacinta C; mtshan pa'i Tib. ♦-dharāḥ] M; dharaṁ IBCE; mchog Tib

⁵⁷ athavā] CEM (yang na Tib); atha IB ♦-sarvān] em. (thams cad Tib); sarvve IBE; sarve CM♦-bhujān] em. (phyag Tib); bhujā IBCE; bhujām M♦-nanān] em. (zhal gdong Tib); nanā IBCE; nanām M

⁵⁸ na ra'i pags] D; nā ra'i lpags P

⁵⁹ la sogi] D; la stsogs P

⁶⁰ gcig] D; cig P

⁶¹ mtshan pa'i] D; mtshan ma'i P

⁶² hāṁ] EM (hāṁ Tib); om ham IB; hā C; haṁ Tib♦yāṁ] CE (yāṁ Tib); yom IBM; yam Tib

⁶³ hrem] IBCM (hrem Tib); hre E♦sam] IBCE (sam Tib); om. M

⁶⁴ śrī] IBEM (śrī Tib); śrīm C♦sam hūṁ hūṁ] IBEM (sam hūṁ hūṁ Tib); om. C

⁶⁵ phaṭ phaṭ] ICEM (phaṭ phaṭ Tib); phapha phapha B♦hūṁ hūṁ] IBCEM; hūṁ hūṁ Tib

/ de dag gsang sngags 'di yin te //
 om shrī om bam bām hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁶⁷
 om shrī hām yom yām hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁶⁸
 om shrī hrīm mom mom hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁶⁹
 om shrī hrem hrīm sam hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁷⁰
 om shrī hūm hūm sam hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁷¹
 om shrī phaṭ phaṭ tsam hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁷²
 de dag ni rnal 'byor ma drug gi gsang sngags so //

Their mantras are present [as follows]: [Vārāhī —] *Om, śrī, om vam, vām, hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā.* [Yāminī —] *Om, śrī, hām yom, yām, hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā.* [Mohanī —] *Om, śrī, hrīm mom, mom, hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā.* [Saṃcālānī —] *Om, śrī, hrem hrīm, sam, hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā.* [Saṃtrāsanī —] *Om, śrī, hūm hūm, sam, hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā.* [Caṇḍikā —] *Om, śrī, phaṭ phaṭ, caṇ, hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā.* Thus are the six yoginī[s]' mantra[s].

om ha vam hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā /⁷³
 om namaḥ hi bhrūm hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā /⁷⁴
 om svāhā hu hrīm hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā /⁷⁵
 om vausaṭ he hem hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā /⁷⁶
 om hūm hūm ho ām hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā /⁷⁷
 om phaṭ ham hrīh hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā //⁷⁸
 iti ṣadvīramantraḥ /17/⁷⁹

om ha bam hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /⁸⁰

66 -mantraḥ] IBM (gsang sngags Tib); mantrāḥ C; mantrāḥ E

67 bām] P; bam D◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

68 hām] em.; ham DP◆yām] em.; yam DP◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

69 hrīm] D; hrim P◆mom hūm hūm] P; mam hum hūm D

70 hrīm] em.; hrim DP◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

71 hūm hūm phaṭ] P; hum hūm phaṭ D

72 hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

73 ha] em. (ha Tib); ham IBM; hum C; hūm E; heḥ Tib◆hūm hūm] IBEM (hūm hūm Tib); hum hum C

74 namaḥ] em. (na maḥ Tib); nama IBCEM

75 hu] em. (hu Tib); hūm IBCEM◆hūm hūm] IBEM (hūm hūm Tib); hum hum C

76 vauṣaṭ] IBM (bauṣaṭ Tib); voṣaṭ CE◆hem] IB (hem Tib); om. C; he M; hūm E; him Tib◆(First) hūm] IBCEpcM (hūm Tib); hūm ## Eac

77 (First) hūm] IBEM (hūm Tib); hum C◆ho] IBCM (ho Tib); hom E◆ām] ICEM (ām Tib); ā B; hram Tib

78 phaṭ] ICE (phat Tib); phaṭ phaṭ BM◆hrīh] IEM (hrīh Tib); hrīmh BC; n.e. Tib◆hūm hūm] CEM (hūm hūm Tib); hūm IB; hum hūm Tib

79 -mantraḥ] IBM (sngags Tib); mantrāḥ CE

80 ha] em.; haḥ DP◆hūm hūm] em.; hūm DP

om na maḥ hi bhrūṁ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /⁸¹
 om swā hā hu hrīṁ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /⁸²
 om bau ṣaṭ he hem hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /⁸³
 om hūṁ hūṁ ho hram hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /⁸⁴
 om phaṭ ham hrīḥ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /⁸⁵
 'di ni dpa' bo drug gi sngags //

[Vajrasattva —] *Om ha, vam, hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ, svāhā.* [Vairocana —] *Om, namah hi, bhrūṁ, hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ, svāhā.* [Padmanarteśvara —] *Om, svāhā hu, hrīṁ, hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ, svāhā.* [Heruka —] *Om, vauṣaṭ he, hem, hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ, svāhā.* [Vajrasūrya —] *Om, hūṁ hūṁ ho, āṁ, hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ, svāhā.* [Paramāśva —] *Om, phaṭ ham, hrīḥ, hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ, svāhā.* Thus are the six heroes' mantra[s].

bhāvayañ japamānas tu • sidhyate ṣaṭcakrottamam /⁸⁶
 cakravartivam labhate^u • rājā ṣaṭcakravartinah //18//⁸⁷

/ bzlas pa dang ni bsgoms tsam gyis // 'khor lo drug ni mchog grub cing /
 / 'khor los sgyur ba thob pa ste /⁸⁸/ 'khor los sgyur drug rgyal por 'gyur //

When he visualizes and recites [in this way], the uppermost sixfold wheel is accomplished. He attains the state of the Wheel-turner (or the Universal Monarch). [He is] a king turning the six-fold wheel.

ajitam jitasaṁpūrṇam • mahābalaparākramam /
 ṣaṭcihnam pūjayen nityam • abhimantrya vidhānataḥ //19//⁸⁹

/ mi pham rgyal ba yang dag rdzogs /⁹⁰/ stobs chen rtsal mchog rnyed pa yin /

⁸¹ na maḥ hi] D; *om.* P◆bhrūṁ] P; bhrūṁ D◆hūṁ hūṁ] em.; hūṁ DP

⁸² swā hā] D; swa hā P◆hrīṁ] em.; hri D; hrīṁ P◆hūṁ hūṁ] e.; hum hūṁ D; hūṁ P

⁸³ hem] P; him (unclear) D◆hūṁ hūṁ] em.; hum hūṁ D; hūṁ P

⁸⁴ hram] D; traṁ P◆hūṁ hūṁ] em.; hum hūṁ D; hūṁ P

⁸⁵ hrīḥ] em.; *om.* D; ham P◆hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum hūṁ D

⁸⁶ bhāvayañ] IB; bhāvayena CE; bhāvayej M; bsgoms tsam gyis ◆japamānas] em. (bzlas pa Tib); jāpamānas IBpcCEM; (One letter illegible, probably a part of the letter ja) Bac◆sidhyate] IBCE (grub Tib); siddhyate M ◆ ṣaṭcakrottamam] em. ('khor lo drug ni mchog Tib); ṣaṭkramottamam IB; ṣu kramottamam C; ṣu yathākramam E; ṣaṭcakrottamam M

⁸⁷ labhate] IB (thob pa Tib); labhyamte C; labhyate E; labhyanta M◆rājā] IBM (rgyal por Tib); rāja CE◆ṣaṭ-] IBEM (drug Tib); ᷣaṭ ca C◆-cakravartinah (*m.c.* for -cakravartī)] IBCEM ('khor los sgyur Tib)

⁸⁸ 'khor los] D; 'khor lo P

⁸⁹ -cihnam] em. (phyag mtshan Tib); cihna IBCEM ◆ pūjayen] IBCE (mchod Tib); pūyen M◆abhimantrya] em. (mngon bsngags na Tib); abhimatrā IBEM; abhimamtrā C◆vidhānataḥ] IBCE (cho ga bzhin du Tib); bhidhānataḥ M

/ phyag mtshan drug la rtag mchod cing // cho ga bzhin du mngon bsngags na //⁹¹

Having recited [the mantras] according to the prescription, he should always worship the six marks (viz., the six pairs of yoginī and male deity), [who are] invincible, complete with victory, very powerful, and heroic.

sidhyate acirāt tasya • yogarājottamottamah /⁹²
 antardhānādisaṃsiddho • vicared asau tridhātuke^e //20//⁹³
 ḫadgates tārayet sattvān • bhaved vajradharottamah /⁹⁴

/ de ni myur du grub nas ni // rnal 'byor rgyal po'i mchog kyang thob /
 / mi snang la sogs grub nas ni /⁹⁵ khams gsum dag tu rnam par spyod //
 / 'gro ba drug gi sems can grol // bsgoms pas rdo rje 'dzin dang mtshungs /

He soon achieves the mastery of yoga, the highest among the highest. Having achieved [the supernatural powers] such as to be invisible, he can rove in the triple world. He can save sentient beings from the six realm[s] of birth. He can become the highest vajra-holder.

athavā ṣaṭkoṇacakre tu^e • bhāvayet tam mahāsukham //21//⁹⁶
 mañjuvajradharo rājā • cakravartyadhipo bhavet /⁹⁷

/ yang na 'khor lo zur drug la // bde ba chen po rnam snang mdzad //
 / 'jam pa'i rdo rje 'chang rgyal po // 'khor los sgyur ba bdag po ni /

Alternatively, he can visualize that [known] great pleasure on a six-corner circle (viz., on a six-spoked wheel).⁹⁸ (1) [That great pleasure] should be the king, Mañju the vajra-holder (viz., Mañjuvajra), the Wheel-turning ruler.

kuṇkumāruṇasamkāśo • divyatejojjvalaprabhaḥ //22//⁹⁹

90 mi pham] D; mi 'pham P

91 mngon bsngags] D; mngon sngags P

92 sidhyate] IBCE (sgrub nas Tib); siddhyate M ◆ yoga-] IBCM (rnal 'byor Tib); jogā E ◆ -ttamah] IBCM; ttamasya caḥ E; kyang thob Tib.

93 antardhānā-] IBpcCEM (mi snang Tib); antadhānā Bac ◆ -samsiddho] IBpcM (grub nas Tib); samsiddho (appearing to be the same as Bpc) Bac; saṃsiddhau CE◆vicared asau] IBCM; vicare sau E; rnam par spyod Tib

94 -gates] em. ('gro ba Tib); gati IBM; gati E ◆ sattvān] C (sems can Tib); satvām IBM; satvā E ◆ bhaved] CE (bsgom pas Tib); bhave IBM ◆ -rottamaḥ] IBCEM; dang mtshungs Tib

95 la sogs] D; la stsogs P

96 -koṇacakre tu] em. ('khor lo zur Tib); koṇacakrešu IBCE; cakrakoṇešu M ◆ tam] IBCEM; n.e. Tib

97 -dharo] BCEM ('chang Tib); dharā I◆ -rtyadhipo] em. (bdag po Tib); rtyādhipam IBCEM

98 See 37.46 (ṣadāra-).

mahāmudrāsamāpanno • dharmadhātusvabhāvakah /¹⁰⁰
 vāmadakṣiṇam āliṅga • ghaṇṭāvajrakucagrahah //23//¹⁰¹
 asipustakakhaṭvāṅgam • kapālāṅkuśapāśayoh /¹⁰²
 • utpalam ḍamarum tathā //24//¹⁰³

/ gur gum gyi ni mdog lta bu /¹⁰⁴ gzi mdangs 'bar ba'i 'od can te //
 / phyag rgya che dang yang dag ldan // chos kyi dbyings kyi rang ngo bo /
 / rdo rje dril bu dang ldan pa'i // g-yas dang g-yon pa'i phyag gis 'khyud //¹⁰⁵
 / ral gri po ti kha ṭwāṁ ga /¹⁰⁶ thod pa lcags kyu zhags pa dang /
 / u tpa la dang cang te 'u //¹⁰⁷

[Mañjuvajra] appears to be a saffron-like reddish brown [in color], is brazing with divine fire and is splendid, is in union with [his] great seal (viz., his female consort), is of the nature of the Dharma Quality, embraces [his female consort] with [one of the five pairs of] left and right [hands], holds [with the same left and right hands] a bell, a vajra, and [her] breasts, [has with the other three hands] a scimitar, a scripture, and a skull staff, [holds] a skull bowl, a hook, and a noose [with the other three hands], [bears] a blue lotus [with one of the other two hands], and also [has] a drum [with the other hand].

kuṇkumāruṇa nīlam ca • raktam haritam sitordhvakam^e /¹⁰⁸
 dharmadhātumahāśuddhah • sattvadhātupramocakah //25//¹⁰⁹

/ gur gum mdog dang sngo ba dang // dmar dang ljang gu steng zhal dkar /¹¹⁰

⁹⁹ -māruṇa-] IBCEM; mdog Tib ♦ -saṃkāśo] em. (lta bu Tib); saṃkāśam IB; samkāśam CEM ♦ divyatejo-] IBCE (gzi mdangs Tib); divyadeho M♦-prabhah] em. ('od can Tib); prabhām IBCEM

¹⁰⁰ -samāpanno] em. (yang dag ldan Tib); samāpannām IB; samāpannam CEM ♦ -svabhāvakah] em. (rang ngo bo Tib); svabhāvakam IBCEM

¹⁰¹ vāmadakṣiṇam āliṅga (m.c. for vāmadakṣiṇenāliṅga)] ICEM; vāmadakṣa Bac; vāmadakṣiṇam ālimge Bpc; g-yas dang g-yon pa'i phyag gis 'khyud Tib ♦ -kuca-] IBM; kula C; kulo E; n.e. Tib ♦ -grahah] em. (dang ldan pa'i Tib); graham IBCEM

¹⁰² asi-] ICEM (ral gri Tib); asi B ♦ -khaṭvāṅgam] IBC (kha ṭwāṁ ga Tib); khaṭvāṅga EM ♦ -pāśayoh (m.c. for -pāśam)] CM (zhags pa Tib); pāsayoh I; pāsayo B; pāsaśoh E

¹⁰³ utpalam] IBCM (u tpa la Tib); utparam E ♦ ḍamarum] em. (cang te'u Tib); ḍamarukam IBCM; ḍamarukan E

¹⁰⁴ gyi] D; gyis P

¹⁰⁵ phyag gis] D; phyogs kyis P

¹⁰⁶ po ti] D; bo ti P♦kha ṭwāṁ ga] D; kha ṭrāṁ kha P

¹⁰⁷ u tpa la] D; ud pa la P

¹⁰⁸ kuṇkumā-] IBCE (gur gum Tib); kukumā M♦-ruṇa (m.c. for -ruṇam)] M; ruṇaṇam IB; ruṇām C; ruṇā E; mdog Tib ♦ nīlam] IBCM (sngo ba Tib); nīram E ♦ raktam] IBCE (dmar Tib); rakta M♦ haritaṇam] CE (ljang gu Tib); harita IBM♦ sitordhvakam] IBM (steng zhal dkar Tib); siddhorddhakam C; siddhorddhakam E

¹⁰⁹ -śuddhah] em. (dag pa Tib); suddham I; śuddham BCEM

¹¹⁰ ljang gu] D; ljang khu P

/ chos kyi dbyings ni dag pa che // sems can khams ni rab grol byed //

[Four of his five faces are respectively] saffron-like reddish brown, dark blue, red, and green, and [his] upper [face is] white [in color]. [He] is greatly pure by virtue of the Dharma Quality and liberates the world of sentient beings.

pūrvādau vāmāvartena nyaset /¹¹¹ śadaṅgavīrāś ca dākinyā saha samyutāḥ
/26/¹¹²

/ shar sogs g-yon bskor dgod pa ni /¹¹³

/ yan lag drug tu dpa' bo dag // mkha' 'gro ma dang lhan cig bcas //

He should arrange [the six heroes] on [the six corners] starting with the east counterclockwise, and the heroes of the six limbs are joined with the [six] dākinī[s].

vajrasattvo vārāhyā° • vairocana yāminīṣu ca^e /¹¹⁴
padmanarteśvaraś caiva • mohanīsaḥasamyaṭutāḥ //27//¹¹⁵
herukaḥ samcālanyā caiva^e • vajrasūryas tu samṛāsanyā tathā^e /¹¹⁶
• paramāśvaś caṇḍikāsaha^e //28//¹¹⁷
evam nyāsam tataḥ kṛtvā • sidhyate mañjurāṭ svayam //29//¹¹⁸

/ rdo rje sems dang phag mo dang // rnam snang mdzad dang ya mi ni /

/ pa dma gar dbang rmongs byed bcas /¹¹⁹ khrag 'thung dang ni skyod byed ma //

/ rdo rje nyi ma skrag byed ma // rta mchog tsa ba'i ka dang bcas /

/ de dag de ru dgod byas pas // 'jam pa'i rdo rje rang nyid 'grub //¹²⁰

¹¹¹ -vartena] IBM (bskr Tib); vartte C; vartta E

¹¹² -vīrāś] IEM (dpa' bo dag Tib); vīrāṁś BC◆ samyutāḥ] em. (bcas Tib); samyutāṁ IBCM; samyutā E

¹¹³ ni] D; na P

¹¹⁴ -sattvo] em.; satvam̄ IBCEM; sems Tib◆ vārāhyā] em. (phag mo dang Tib); vārāhī IBCEM◆ vairocana] em. (rnam snang mdzad Tib); vairocanaṁ IB; vairocanaṁ CEM◆ yāminīṣu (m.c. for yāminyā)] IBCEM (ya mi ni Tib)

¹¹⁵ -narteśvaraś] M (gar dbang Tib); nartteśvaraṁ IB; nr̄tyeśvaraṁ C; nr̄tyeśvarañ E◆ mohanī] CE (rmongs byed Tib); mohinī IBM◆ -samyutāḥ] em. (bcas Tib); samyutaṁ IBCEM

¹¹⁶ herukaḥ] em. (khrag 'thung Tib); herukāṁ IBCEM◆ samcālanyā] em. (skyod byed ma Tib); sañcālinī I; samcāraṇī CE; sañcā~rinī B; samcālinī M◆ -sūryas] em. (nyi ma Tib); sūryam̄ IBM; sūryyaṁ C; sūryyan E◆ samṛāsanyā] em. (skrag byed ma Tib); sanṛāsinī IB; sanṛāsanīṁ C; sanṛāsanī EM

¹¹⁷ -śvaś] em. (mchog Tib); śva IBCEM◆ caṇḍikā-] IpcBCEM (tsa ba'i ka Tib); caṇḍa Iac◆ -saha] CEM (dang beas Tib); sat IB

¹¹⁸ evam̄] IBEM; eva C: de dag Tib◆ nyāsam̄] IBCE (dgod Tib); nyāsa M◆ sidhyate] IBCE ('grub Tib); siddhyate M

¹¹⁹ pa dma] D; pad ma P

¹²⁰ 'grub] D; grub P◆ These pādas / de dag de ru dgod byas bas // 'jam pa'i rdo rje rang nyid 'grub // follow the pāda / shar sogs g-yon bskor dgod pa ni / (equivalent to the Skt ed., 37.26), in D and P.

(2) Vajrasattva is with Vārāhī; (3) Vairocana is with Yāminī; (4) Padmanarteśvara is joined with Mohanī; (5) Heruka is with Saṃcālanī; (6) likewise, Vajrasūrya is with Samitrāsanī; and (7) Paramāśva is with Caṇḍikā — Then, having performed the arrangement [of them] in this way, Mañju the king is naturally accomplished.

sitam raktam / pītam nīlam /¹²¹ raktam sitam /¹²² nīlam pītam /¹²³ raktam haritam /¹²⁴ haritam dhūmradhūsaram /30/¹²⁵

/ ljang dang dud pa'i mdog can te /
/ dkar dang dmar dang ser ba dang // sngo dang dmar dang dkar sngo ljang //¹²⁶

[The colors of Vajrasattva and Vārāhī are respectively] white and red. [The colors of Vairocana and Yāminī are respectively] yellow and dark blue. [The colors of Padmanarteśvara and Mohanī are respectively] red and white. [The colors of Heruka and Saṃcālanī are respectively] dark blue and yellow. [The colors of Vajrasūrya and Samitrāsanī are respectively] red and green. [The colors of Paramāśva and Caṇḍikā are respectively] green and smoke-like gray.

evam vibhāvayed varṇam • ekavaktrāś caturbhujāḥ /¹²⁷

/ de lta'i sku mdog rnam par bsgom // zhal gcig pa la phyag bzhi pa'o /

He should visualize [their] color[s] in this way. [The six heroes each have] one face and [have] four arms.

devyas tu dvibhujāś caiva • kapālakartṛkādharāḥ //31//¹²⁸
vīrāḥ kapālakhaṭvāṅgāḥ • svacihnaḍvayayogināḥ /¹²⁹
ghanṭāsaḥasamāyuktā • ḍamarum caikakarāḥ parāḥ^e //32//¹³⁰

¹²¹ nīlam] IBCM (sngo Tib); nīram E

¹²² raktam sitam] M (dmar dang dkar Tib); haritam taptacāmīkaragaganagorām I; haritam taptacāmīkaragaganagaurām B; raktam C; om. E

¹²³ nīlam pītam] em.; om. IBCE; nilam pīta M; sngo Tib

¹²⁴ raktam haritam] E; om. IBC; raktam harita M; ljang Tib

¹²⁵ haritam] CE (ljang Tib); hari I; harita B; om. M ◆ dhūmradhūsaram] em.; dhūmradhūsara IB; dhūmradhūsara CM; dhūmradhūsara E; cf. dud pa'i mdog can Tib

¹²⁶ This line, / dkar dang dmar dang ser ba dang // sngo dang dmar dang dkar sngo ljang //, follows / 'jam pa'i rdo rje rang nyid 'grub / (equivalent to Skt ed., 37.29b) in D and P.

¹²⁷ varṇam] em. (sku mdog Tib); varṇa IBCEM ◆ -vaktrāś] em. (zhal Tib); vaktrā IBCEM ◆ -bhujāḥ] BM (phyag Tib); bhujām I; bhujā CE

¹²⁸ devyas tu] IBCE (lha mo rnams Tib); devyais tu M ◆ -dharāḥ] em. ('dzin Tib); parām IBCM; parā E

¹²⁹ vīrāḥ] em. (dpa' bo Tib); vīrā IBCEM ◆ -khaṭvāṅgāḥ] IBCM (kha ṭwām ga Tib); khaṭvāṅgā E ◆ -cihnāḍvaya-] em. (phyag mtshan gnyis med Tib); cihnadvaya IBC; cīhnadvaya E; cihnadvaye M

/ lha mo rnams ni phyag gnyis pa'o // thod pa dang ni gri gug 'dzin /
 / dpa' bo thod pa kha ṭwāṁ ga // rang gi phyag mtshan gnyis med sbyor //
 / dril bu lhan cig yang dag ldan // cang te'u ni 'dzin pa'i mchog /

However, the goddesses (viz., the six yoginīs) [each have] two arms and hold a skull bowl and a knife. The [six] heroes [each hold] a skull bowl and a skull staff [with two of the four hands], are in non-dual union with their own marks, bear a bell [with one of the other two hands], [hold] a drum [with the remaining] one hand, and are excellent.

trinetrā ālīḍhapadā^u • vyāghracarmakaṭiyakāḥ /¹³¹
 kapālamālāmakuṭā • muṇḍasragdāmadhāriṇāḥ //33//¹³²
 pretopari sthitāḥ sarve • madhye bhairavarātryakāḥ /¹³³
 devī jānudvayāveṣṭā • muktakesā digambarā //34//¹³⁴

/ spyan gsum pa la g-yas brkyang bzhugs // stag gi pags pa'i sham thabs can //¹³⁵
 / thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // mgo bo'i do shal 'dzin pa ste /
 / thams cad yi dags steng du bzhugs // dbus su 'jigs byed dus mtshan gnon //
 / lha mos byin pa gnyis kyis 'khril /¹³⁶/ skra grol ba la phyogs gos can /

[The six heroes each have] three eyes, [stand in] the ālīḍha posture, [wear] a tiger skin around the waist, [have on the head] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, and wear a garland of hairless heads. All [heroes] are astride a corpse and [stand with their feet placed on] Bhairava and Kālarātrī at the center. [Every] goddess hugs [her consort] with [her] knees, has [her] hair untied, and is naked.

hrdaye jñānasamayam • cittavākkāyasamyutām /¹³⁷

¹³⁰ -samāyuktā] CEM (yang dag ldan Tib); samāyogayuktañ I; samāyogāyuktāñ B◆ḍamarum] IBM (cabg te'u Tib); ḍamaruś CE◆caikakarāḥ] em.; caikakarāṁ IBpc; caikakarā C; caikarāṁ Bac; caiva karā EM; 'dzin pa'i Tib◆parāḥ] em. (mchog Tib); parāṁ IBCM; parā E

¹³¹ -neṭrā] CE (spyan Tib); neṭrāṁ IBpcM; neṭrāṁ Bac ◆ ālīḍhapadā] E (g-yas brkyang bzhugs Tib); ālīḍhapadāṁ IBC; ālīḍhapadāṁ M◆-carma-] BCEM (pags pa'i Tib); ca++ I◆-kaṭiyakāḥ] em. (sham thabs can Tib); ++ṭiyakāṁ I; kaṭiyakā CE; paṭiyakāṁ B; kaṭiyakāṁ M

¹³² -makuṭā] C (dbu rgyan can Tib); makuṭāṁ IBEM◆-sragdāma-] IB (do shal Tib); śragdāma CEM◆-dhāriṇāḥ] em. ('dzin pa Tib); dhāriṇīṁ IBM; dhāriṇāṁ CE

¹³³ sthitāḥ] em. (bzhugs Tib); sthitāṁ IBM; sthitā CE◆sarve] E (thams cad Tib); sarvvāṁ IB; sarvā C; sarvān M◆madhye] ICEM (dbus su Tib); madhya B◆-rātryakāḥ] em.; rādryakāṁ IB; rātryakāṁ CM; rātmakā E; dus mtshan gnon Tib

¹³⁴ devī] M (lha mos Tib); devi IB; devīṁ C; ekā devi E◆-veṣṭā] em. ('khril Tib); ..ṣṭā I; vyāṣṭā C; veṣṭā E; veṣṭya BM◆-keśā] BCE (skra Tib); keśāṁ IM◆digambarā] CE (phyogs gos can Tib); digambarāṁ IBM

¹³⁵ pags pa'i] D; lpags pa'i P◆sham thabs] P; shams thabs D

¹³⁶ lha mos] D; lha mo P

kavacadvayasamyuktām • pīṭhacakravibhāvanām //35//¹³⁸
 vīraḍākinī vinyastā^u • triguhyam hrdaye sthitam /¹³⁹

/ snying gar ye shes dam tshig ni /¹⁴⁰ sku gsung thugs dang rnam par sbyar //
 / go ca gnyis pa yang dag sbyar // gnas kyi 'khor lo bsgoms nas ni /
 / dpa' bo mkha' 'gro ma rnams dgod // gsang ba gsum ni snying gar gnas //¹⁴¹

In the heart is the pledge of gnosis. [He should perform] visualization of the [triple] wheel [consisting of] the pīṭha ("seat") [and other holy sites], [which] contains [the meditation on] the mind, word, and body [circles] and [which is] accompanied by [the meditation on] the two armors. Heroes and ḍākinīs are arranged [on the triple wheel]. The triple secret (viz., the triple wheel) is located in the heart.¹⁴²

kākāsyādi tu ḍākinyām • bāhyadvāreṣu vinyaset //36//¹⁴³
 koneṣu yamadāḍhyādi • bhāvayet tāś ca nagnikāḥ /¹⁴⁴

/ khwa gdong la sogs mkha' 'gro ma /¹⁴⁵ phyi rol sgo ru rnam par dgod /
 / zur du gshin rje sreg la sogs /¹⁴⁶ thams cad gcer bu rnam par bsgom //

(8)-(11) He should arrange the [four] ḍākinīs starting with Kākāsyā at the outer [four] gates.
 (12)-(15) He should visualize [the four ḍākinīs] starting with Yamadāḍhī at the [four] corners. They are naked.

¹³⁷ hrdaye] ICEM (snining gar Tib); hrdaya B ♦ -samayam] IBM (dam tshig Tib); samaye CE ♦ cittavākkāya-] IBCEM; sku gsung thugs Tib♦-samuyutām] IBCM (rnam par sbyar Tib); samuyutā E

¹³⁸ kavacadvaya-] ICEM (go ca gnyis pa Tib); om. B ♦-samuyuktām] M (yang dag sbyar Tib); samuyutām I; om. B; samuyuktām C; samuyutā E ♦ -cakra-] IBCE ('khor lo Tib); cakram M ♦ -vibhāvanām] CEM (bsgoms nas Tib); bhāvanām IB

¹³⁹ -ḍākinī] BCEM (mkha' 'gro ma rnams Tib); ḍākinīm I♦-guhyam] em. (gsang ba Tib); guhya IBCEM ♦ sthitam] em. (gnas Tib); sthitām IBCM; sthitā E

¹⁴⁰ snining gar] D; snining khar P

¹⁴¹ snining gar] D; snining khar P

¹⁴² The *Vṛtti* (D 200v7) explains this passage (Skt ed., 37.35-36b) as follows: In this process of meditation a practitioner visualizes in his (or each deity's) heart the maṇḍala of the two armor deities encircled by the triple wheel (consisting of the mind, word, and body circles) on which the twenty-four couples of male and female deities of the twenty-four holy sites reside. The triple wheel is a part of the Heruka maṇḍala consisting of sixty-two deities, which is the most popular maṇḍala in the *Cakrasaṃvara* tradition.

¹⁴³ kākāsyādi tu ḍākinyām (m.c. for kākāsyādiḍākinīr)] IBE (khwa gdong la sogs mkha' 'gro ma Tib); kākāsyādi tu ḍākinyā CM♦bāhya-] IpcBCEM; bāhyā Iac♦-dvāreṣu] ICE (sgo ru Tib); dvāre tu BM

¹⁴⁴ -dāḍhyādi] em. (gshin rje sreg la sogs Tib); dāḍhyāmś ca I; dāḍhyāś ca CE; dāḍhyām ca B; dāḍhyāmś ca M♦bhāvayet] CEM (rnam par bsgom Tib); bhāvaye IB♦tāś] em.; tāñ IBE; tām CM; thams cad Tib ♦nagnikāḥ] em. (gcer bu Tib); nagnikā IB; nagnikām CEM

¹⁴⁵ khwa] D; kha P♦la sogs] D; la stsogs P

¹⁴⁶ la sogs] D; la stsogs P

pūrvoktavarṇacihñā ca • pretārūḍhā tu samsthitā //37//¹⁴⁷
 ālīḍhapadasamsthā ca • muktakeśā tu raudriñī /¹⁴⁸

/ sngar bshad mdog dang phyag mtshan te // yi dags gdan la yang dag bzhugs /
 / g-yas brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis gnas /¹⁴⁹ drag po skra ni grol ba ste //

And [every ḍākinī has the same] aforementioned color and marks, is astride a corpse, stands in the ālīḍha posture, has [her] hair untied, is violent,

kapālamālinī sarve • svabāhyābhyanṭareṣu ca //38//¹⁵⁰
 ṣatpāramitāviśuddhyā ca^e • bhāvayec ca vibhāvanām /¹⁵¹

/ thams cad thod pa'i phreng ba can // rang gi phyi dang nang du yang /
 / pha rol phyin drug rnam par dag // sgom zhing rab tu bsgom par bya //¹⁵²

and [wears] a garland of skull bones. All [male and female deities described above] are [visualized both] outside and inside oneself. He should visualize the manifestation [of the six pairs of yoginī and hero] by the purity of the Six Perfections.

spharatsamḥārayogena • jape tāṁ cakraguhyakām //39//¹⁵³
 vīrayoginijāpeṣu • bhāvayec ca vibhāvanām /¹⁵⁴

/ spro zhing bsdu ba'i sbyor ba yis // gsang ba'i 'khor lo bzlas pa bya /

¹⁴⁷ -rūḍhā] E (gdan la Tib); rūḍhām IBCM ◆ tu] IBEM; ca C ◆ samsthitā] E (yang dag bzhugs Tib); samsthitām IBC; sa sthitām M

¹⁴⁸ -samsthā ca] CE (gnas Tib); samsthāna I; sasthāna B; samsthānam M ◆ tu] IBEM; ca C ◆ raudriñī] CE (drag po Tib); raudriñīm IBpcM; raudrī Bac; raudriñī E

¹⁴⁹ brkyang ba yi] D; brkyang ba'i P

¹⁵⁰ -mālinī] IBCM (thod pa'i phreng ba can Tib); mālinī E ◆ sarve] ICM (thams cad); sarvva BE. This "sarve" seems to indicate all male and female deities constituting the Mañjuvajra maṇḍala ◆ -bhyanṭareṣu] CEM (nang du Tib); bhyanṭareṣu IB

¹⁵¹ ṣatpāramitā-] CEM (pha rol phyin drug Tib); ṣatpāritā IB ◆ bhāvayec] em. (sgom zhing Tib); bhāvayet tāñ IM; bhāvayetāñ B; bhāvayet tāṁ C; bhāvayetām E; cf. bhāvayec in the next verse. ◆ ca] IBEM; om. C

¹⁵² sgom] D; bsgom P

¹⁵³ spharat-] C (spro zhing Tib); spharāṇa IBM; sphalat E; cf. spharat- *Sādhananidhi* (8.57a) and sphuratsamḥāravigrahaṃ *Hevajrasādhanopāyikā* (Skt ed., p. 98, l. 1. 3, l. 10, etc.). However, generally it is srṣti-. ◆ jape tāṁ] IBpc; jape tāṁ BacCE; japyatām M; bzlas pa bya Tib ◆ -guhyakām] IBCM (gsang ba'i Tib); guhyakā E. The words tāṁ cakraguhyakām seem to indicate the vidyās (mantras) of the heroes and yoginīs residing on the wheel; cf. spharatsamḥārayogena jape mantrām susamāhitāḥ for this line in *Sādhananidhi* (8.57ab).

¹⁵⁴ -yogini- (*m.c.* for -yoginī-)] IC (rnal 'byor ma Tib); yoginī BM; yoginī E ◆ -jāpeṣu] IBCE (bzlas na Tib); jāpeṣu M ◆ bhāvayec] BCE (sgom zhing Tib);yec I; bhāvec M ◆ vibhāvanām] IBC (rab tu bsgom par bya Tib); vibhāvanā E; vibhāvanām spharec ca vibhāvanām M

/ dpa' bo rnal 'byor ma bzlas na // sgom zhing rab tu bsgom par bya //¹⁵⁵

With the yoga of emanation and absorption he should recite that [vidyā of the] wheel secret. He should visualize [their] manifestation when reciting [the vidyā mantras of] heroes and yoginīs.

spharec cakraughanirmāṇam • niśpāditajagattrayam //40//¹⁵⁶
adhyātmabhāvanā jāpya • tricakraguhyahāvanā /¹⁵⁷

/ sprul pa'i 'khor lo'i tshogs spros nas // 'gro ba gsum po rdzogs par byas /
/ nang gi bdag nyid bsgoms pa yis // 'khor lo gsum gsang bsgoms nas bzla //

He should emanate the transformation[s] of the multitude of wheels, [which makes] the triple world perfect. After recitation, the visualization of the triple wheel secret is [to be performed in the form of] the visualization in the body.

tritattvasahitā mantrā • vīradākinīnāṁ matāḥ^u //41//¹⁵⁸
hūṁ-hūṁ-phaṭ-kāram anteṣu • jāpet tāṁ tricakrakām^o /¹⁵⁹

/ de nyid gsum dang sngags lhan cig // dpa' bo dang ni mkha' 'gro ma /
/ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ ni mtha' ru ste /¹⁶⁰/ 'khor lo gsum gyi bzlas pa bya //

The mantras of heroes and dākinīs are approved to be joined with the triple truth. [Having located] the letter[s] "hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ" at the ends [of the mantras], he should recite that [vidyā of the] triple wheel [in the body].¹⁶¹

¹⁵⁵ sgom] D; bsgom P

¹⁵⁶ spharec] IBCM (sprul pa'i Tib); sphalac E ♦ cakrauga-] CEM ('khor lo'i tshogs Tib); cakrogha I; cakrodhya B ♦ -nirmāṇam] IBCM (spros nas Tib); nirmāṇam E ♦ niśpādita-] IBCE (rdzogs par byas Tib); niśpādida M ♦ -jagat-] CEM ('gro ba Tib); jaga IB ♦ -trayam] C (gsum po Tib); trayāṁ IBM; trayā E

¹⁵⁷ jāpya (m.c. for jāpayitvā)] IBCEM; bzla Tib. Another possibility of edition is to correct it into kāryā.
♦-guhyabhbāvanā] E (gsang bsgoms nas Tib); guhyabhbāvanāṁ IBCM

¹⁵⁸ -sahitā] IBCE (lhan cig Tib); sahita M♦mantrā] IBCM (sngags Tib); mantra E♦vīra-] CM (dpa' bo Tib); vīra IB; vimnyāśam eva ca E♦-dākinīnāṁ] IBCE (mkha' 'gro ma Tib); dākinīnā M♦matāḥ] em.; matā IBC; mabhāsat E; mantrāḥ M; n.e. Tib

¹⁵⁹ hūṁ-hūṁ-] em. (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hūṁ om̄ IBEM; hum̄ om̄ C ♦ -phaṭ-] ICEM (phaṭ Tib); phat B ♦ -kāram anteṣu] em.; kāramantreṣu IBCEM; mtha' ru ste Tib♦jāpet tāṁ] em.; jāpetāṁ IBCE; jāpyatāṁ M; bzlas pa bya Tib♦-cakrakām] IBCM ('khor lo Tib); cakrakau E

¹⁶⁰ hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁶¹ This verse explains the mantras of the twenty-four couples of male and female deities on the triple wheel. The *Vṛtti* supplements that the letter *om̄* is placed in the beginning of each mantra (D 201r2). The *Vṛtti* says that the “triple truth” means the body, word, and mind (D 201r2), probably indicating the triple wheel.

tataḥ samayaजापाम् tu • kuryād yogī vidhānataḥ //42//¹⁶²
 om श्रीमान्जुवाज्रा अ माम् हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶³
 om ha vajrasattva हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶⁴
 om vam वज्रवाराही हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶⁵
 om namaḥ hi vairocana हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶⁶
 om hām yom यामिनी हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶⁷
 om svāhā hu padmanarteśvara हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶⁸
 om hrīm mom mohanī हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁶⁹
 om vausat he heruka हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷⁰
 om hrem hrīm samcālanī हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷¹
 om hūm hūm ho vajrasūrya हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷²
 om hūm hūm samtrāsanī हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷³
 om phat ham paramāśva हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷⁴
 om phat phat caṇḍikā हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷⁵
 om kākāsye हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷⁶
 om ulukāsye हुम् हुम् फात् स्वाहा /¹⁷⁷

¹⁶² samaya-] IBCM; samaye E; dam tshig can gyis Tib◆ -jāpam] IBCE (bzla Tib); japaṁ M◆ tu] CE; om. IBM◆ yogī] CE (rnal 'byr Tib); yoga Iac; yoginī IpcB; yoginīnām M; rnal 'byor Tib

¹⁶³ हुम् हुम्] EM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् IB; हुम् हुम् C◆फात्] IBCE (फात् Tib); om. M

¹⁶⁴ ha] em. (ha Tib); हम् IBM; हुम् CE◆हुम् हुम्] IBEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C◆फात्] IBpc-CEM (फात् Tib); ## Bac◆स्वाहा] IBpcCEM (swā hā Tib); ## Bac

¹⁶⁵ om] IBpcCEM (om Tib); om. Bac◆vam] CEM (bam Tib); vām IB ◆हुम् हुम्] IBEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C◆स्वाहा] BCEM (swā hā Tib); I

¹⁶⁶ This line is blurred in I◆namah] BM (na mah Tib); nama CE◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C; हुम् हुम् Tib

¹⁶⁷ हाम् योम्] CM (हाम् योम् Tib); हम् योम् I; हम् योम् योम् B; hrīm yām E◆यामिनी] IBpcCE; यामानी Bac; यामिनी M; या मि नि Tib◆हुम् हुम्] IBEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁶⁸ hu] em. (hu Tib).; हुम् IBCEM◆-नर्तेश्वरा] IBM (na rte shwa ra Tib); नृत्येश्वरा C; नृत्येश्वरा E◆हुम् हुम्] IBEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁶⁹ Leaves from 128r (from mohanī) to 132v are missing in I◆mom] CEM (mom Tib); mom mom B◆मोहनी] E; mohini BC; mohini M; cf. mo ha ni Tib◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁷⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆voṣat] BCM (bau ṣat Tib); voṣat E◆heruka] em. (he ru ka Tib); heruruka BCEM◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁷¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆hrem] BC (hrem Tib); hre EM◆सम्चालनी] em.; sañcā~rinī B; सम्चारानी C; सम्चारानी E; सम्चारानी M; सम् त्सा ला नि Tib◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁷² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C◆हो] em. (ho Tib); हो BCEM

¹⁷³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆(First) हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C◆सम्त्रासनी] CE; सन्त्रासनी B; सम्त्रासनी M; सम् त्रा सा नि Tib◆(Second) हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁷⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆(First) फात्] CEM (फात् Tib); फात् फात् B◆हम्] BC (हम् Tib); हुम् E; फात् M◆परमाश्वा] CEM (पा रा मा श्वा Tib); परमाश्वा B◆हुम् हुम्] BCEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् Tib

¹⁷⁵ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆कांडिका] BCM; कांडिकाये E; त्सा न्दि का Tib◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁷⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

¹⁷⁷ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆हुम् हुम्] BEM (हुम् हुम् Tib); हुम् हुम् C

om̄ śvānāsyे hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /¹⁷⁸
 om̄ sūkarāsyे hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /¹⁷⁹
 om̄ yamadāḍhī hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /¹⁸⁰
 om̄ yamadūtī hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /¹⁸¹
 om̄ yamadamṣṭriṇī hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /¹⁸²
 om̄ yamamathanī hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ svāhā /43/¹⁸³

/ rnal 'byor cho ga bzhin du ni // dam tshig can gyis de bzla bya /¹⁸⁴
 om̄ shrī ma nydzu ba dzra āḥ hūṁ mam̄ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁸⁵
 om̄ ha ba dzra sa twa hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁸⁶
 om̄ bam̄ ba dzra bā rā hi hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁸⁷
 om̄ na mah̄ hi bai ro tsa na hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁸⁸
 om̄ hāṁ yom̄ yā mi ni hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁸⁹
 om̄ swā hā hu pa dma na rte shwa ra hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹⁰
 om̄ hrīṁ mom̄ mo ha ni hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹¹
 om̄ bau ṣaṭ he he ru ka hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹²
 om̄ hrem̄ hrīṁ sam̄ tsā la ni hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹³
 om̄ hūṁ hūṁ ho ba dzra sū rya hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹⁴
 om̄ hūṁ hūṁ sam̄ trā sa ni hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹⁵
 om̄ phaṭ ham̄ pa ra mā shwa hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹⁶

¹⁷⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ śvānāsyे] EM (shwā nā sye Tib); svānāsyे BC ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BEM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum̄ hum̄ C

¹⁷⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ sūkarā-] B (sū ka rā Tib); sūkarā CEM ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum̄ hum̄ C; hūṁ E; hum̄ hūṁ Tib

¹⁸⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -dāḍhī] BC; dāḍhīye E; dāḍhī M; dā ḍhi Tib ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BEM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum̄ hum̄ C

¹⁸¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -dūtī] BM; dūtīye CE; dū ti Tib ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BEM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum̄ hum̄ C

¹⁸² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -damṣṭriṇī] em.; draṣṭrī B; damṣṭrī C; draṣṭrī E; damṣṭri M; dam̄ ṣṭri ni Tib ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BEM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum̄ hum̄ C

¹⁸³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -mathanī] BCE; mathani M; ma tha ni Tib ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BEM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum̄ hum̄ C

¹⁸⁴ bzla bya] D; bzlas bya P

¹⁸⁵ ma nydzu] D; mam̄uzu P♦āḥ] D; a P♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁸⁶ ha] em.; haḥ DP♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁸⁷ ba dzra] D; om. P♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁸⁸ na mah̄] D; na ma P♦bai ro tsa na] P; ba dzra bai ro tsa na D♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁸⁹ hāṁ yom̄] em.; ham̄ yom̄ DP♦yā mi ni] em.; ya ma ni DP♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁹⁰ swā hā hu] D; swa ha hūṁ P♦pa dma na rte shwa ra] em.; pa dma na rte shwa ri D; pad ma ner ti shwa ra P♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁹¹ hrīṁ] D; hrīṁ P♦mo ha ni] D; mom̄ ha ra ti P♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁹² hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁹³ hrem̄ hrīṁ] D; hrom̄ hrīṁ P♦sam̄ tsā la ni] em.; sam̄ tsā la ni DP♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D

¹⁹⁴ hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ] P; hum̄ hūṁ phaṭ D

¹⁹⁵ sam̄ trā sa ni] D; sam̄ tra sa ni P♦hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ] P; hum̄ hūṁ phaṭ D

¹⁹⁶ pa ra mā shwa] D; pa ra ma shwa P♦hūṁ hūṁ] P; hum̄ hūṁ D♦swā hā] D; om. P

om phaṭ phaṭ tsa ḥdi ke hūm hūm phaṭ swā hā /¹⁹⁷
 om kā kā sye hūm hūm phaṭ /¹⁹⁸
 om u lū kā sye hūm hūm phaṭ /¹⁹⁹
 om shwā nā sye hūm hūm phaṭ /²⁰⁰
 om sū ka rā sye hūm hūm phaṭ /²⁰¹
 om ya ma dā ḥhi hūm hūm phaṭ /²⁰²
 om ya ma dū ti hūm hūm phaṭ /²⁰³
 om ya ma daṇ̄ stri ni hūm hūm phaṭ /²⁰⁴
 om ya ma ma tha ni hūm hūm phaṭ //²⁰⁵

Then a yogin should perform the recitation of pledges according to the prescription. (1) [Mañjuvajra —] *Om*, O glorious Mañjuvajra, āḥ *mam*, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (2) [Vajrasattva —] *Om ha*, O Vajrasattva, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. [Vārāhī —] *Om vam*, Vajravārāhī, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (3) [Vairocana —] *Om, namah hi*, O Vairocana, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. [Yāminī —] *Om, hām yom*, Yāminī, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (4) [Padmanarteśvara —] *Om, svāhā hu*, O Padmanarteśvara, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. [Mohanī —] *Om, hrīm mom*, Mohanī, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (5) [Heruka —] *Om, vauṣat he*, O Heruka, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. [Saṃcālanī —] *Om, hrīm hrīm*, Saṃcālanī, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (6) [Vajrasūrya —] *Om, hūm hūm ho*, O Vajrasūrya, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. [Saṃtrāsanī —] *Om, hūm hūm*, Saṃtrāsanī, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (7) [Paramāśva —] *Om, phaṭ ham*, O Paramāśva, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. [Caṇḍikā —] *Om, phaṭ phaṭ*, Caṇḍikā, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (8) [Kākāsyā —] *Om, O Kākāsyā, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (9) [Ulūkāsyā —] *Om, O Ulūkāsyā, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (10) [Śvānāsyā —] *Om, O Śvānāsyā, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (11) [Śūkarāsyā —] *Om, O Śūkarāsyā, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (12) [Yamadāḍhī —] *Om, Yamadāḍhī, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (13) [Yamadūtī —] *Om, Yamadūtī, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (14) [Yamadamṣṭriṇī —] *Om, Yamadamṣṭriṇī, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*. (15) [Yamamathanī —] *Om, Yamamathanī, hūm hūm phaṭ*, *svāhā*.

vāmadakṣiṇapāṇibhyāṁ • kavacadvaya vinyaset /²⁰⁶
 karoti sarvakarmāṇi • yat kiṁcin manasepsitam /²⁰⁷

197 tsa ḥdi ke] em.; tsa ḥdi ka D; tsan ḥdi ka P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

198 kā kā sye] D; kā kā syai P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

199 u lū kā sye] D; ū lu ga syai P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

200 shwā nā sye] D; shwa na syai P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

201 sū ka rā sye] D; su ka ra syai P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

202 dā ḥhi] D; daṇ̄ ḥhi P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

203 dū ti] D; du ti P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

204 daṇ̄ stri ni] D; daṇ̄ stri ni P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

205 ma tha ni] D; tā ni P◆hūm hūm] P; hum hūm D

206 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆kavaca-] BCE (go cha Tib); kevaca M◆-dvaya (*m.c.* for -dvayāṁ)] EM (gnyis po Tib); dvayāṁ BC

207 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆yat kiṁcin] BpcCEM (gang zhig ji ltar Tib); yat kañcit Bac◆manasepsitam] BpcCEM ('dod pa ru Tib); manasepsatam Bac

nātra samdeha kartavyo • dhruvam̄ sidhyati nānyathā //44//²⁰⁸

/ g-yon dang g-yas kyi lag gnyis su // go cha gnyis po bkod nas ni /
 / gang zhig ji ltar 'dod pa ru // las rnams thams cad byed pa yin //
 / the tshom med par las byas na // nges par dngos grub gzhan du min /

He should arrange the two armors with the left and right hands. He performs all rituals, whichever is wished in [his] mind. Do not be suspicious of this. He is certainly accomplished, no other way.²⁰⁹

atha

daśabhūmīśvaro nātho • daśapāramitāśrayah //45//²¹⁰

/ yang na mgon po sa bcu'i dbang // pha rol phyin pa bcu la gnas //

Now, [he is] a protector, a master of the Ten Levels, inclined to the Ten Perfections.

dāna-śīla-kṣamā-vīrya-dhyāna-prajñāḥ ṣaḍārakṛtaḥ /²¹¹ upāya-bala-praṇidhi-jñāneṣu dvārāṇām /46/²¹²

/ sbyin dang tshul khrims bzod brtson 'grus // bsam gtan shes rab drug pa ste /
 / thabs dang stobs dang smon lam dang // ye shes sgo skyong rnam dag pa'o //

(2)-(7) The Giving, Morality, Patience, Vigor, Meditation, and Wisdom [Perfections] make the six spokes (viz., the six yoginīs or the six pairs of yoginī and hero). (8)-(11) [The four yoginīs] of [the four] gates are in the Expedient, Power, Resolve, and Gnosis [Perfections].

²⁰⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ samdeha (*m.c.* for samdehah)] BCEM (the tshom Tib)♦kartavyo] em.; karttavyam BC; karttavya E; karttavyā M; las byas na Tib♦dhruvam̄] BCE (nges par Tib); dhruva M♦sidhyati] BE; siddhyati CM; dngos grub Tib

²⁰⁹ According to the *Vṛtti*, a practitioner visualizes the maṇḍala of the two armor deities in the heart of or in the object (or finger gesture) held in the hand of each deity of any maṇḍala that he practices, or he arranges the two armors on the body of each deity for protection. By these he attains any accomplishment that he wishes (D 201r6-r7). The *Vṛtti* also comments that a practitioner visualizes the six yoginīs on the five fingers and nails of his left hand, the six male deities (viz., male consorts of the six yoginīs) on the five fingers and nails of his right hand, and the maṇḍala of them on the palm of his hands (D 201r6-r7).

²¹⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -bhūmīśvaro] CE; bhūmīśvaro BpcM; bhūmaśvaro Bac; dbang Tib♦-śrayah] BM (gnas Tib); śrayam CE

²¹¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -śīla-] CEM (tshul khrims Tib); śīla B ♦ -prajñāḥ] em. (shes rab Tib); prajñā BCEM♦ṣaḍārakṛtaḥ] em.; ṣaḍārakṛt B; ṣaḍākṛtaḥ CEM; drug pa Tib

²¹² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -bala-] BCEpcM (stobs Tib); #### Eac ♦ -praṇidhi-] BEpc (smoṇi lam Tib); praṇiṇi C; ##ṇidhi Eac; pranidhi M ♦ dvārāṇām] CEM; dvāratā B; sgo skyong Tib♦rnam dag pa add. Tib

pramuditā-vimalā-prabhākari-arcīśmatī-sudurjayā-abhimukhī-dūraṃgamā-acalā-sādhumatī-dharmameghāś ceti viśuddhyā bhāvayet /47/²¹³

/ rab tu dga' dang dri ma med // 'od byed pa dang 'od 'phro can /
 / sbyang dka' ba dang mngon du gyur // ring du song dang mi g-yo ba //
 / legs pa'i blo gros chos kyi sprin // 'di yis rnam par dag pa bsgom /

(2)-(11) He should visualize [the ten deities] by the purity [of the Ten Levels], viz., the Joyful, Stainless, Luminous, Radiance, Hard-to-conquer, Immediacy, Far-reaching, Immovable, Eminent, and Dharma-cloud [Levels, respectively].

yamadādhyādi catvāra āryasatyavibhāvanā /²¹⁴ duḥkha-samudaya-nirodhā-mārgaś ceti /48/²¹⁵

/ gshin rje sreg sogs bzhi po ni // 'phags pa'i bden par rnam par bsgom //
 / sdug bsngal dang ni kun 'byung dang // 'gog pa dang ni lam rnames te /

(12)-(15) The four [yoginīs] starting with Yamadādhī [constitute] the visualization of the [Four] Noble Truths, viz., Suffering, Origination, Cessation, and Path.

bhagavān śrīmañjuvajraḥ suviśuddhadharmadhātusvabhāvo hi /49/²¹⁶

/ bcom ldan 'jam pa'i rdo rje dpal // chos kyi dbyings kyis rnam dag ste //²¹⁷
 / ye shes rang gi ngo bo yin /

(1) The Lord, glorious Mañjuvajra, is indeed of the nature of the Dharma Quality [that is] Per-

²¹³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -vimalā-] CEM (dri ma med Tib); vimala B ♦ -arcīśmatī-] CE ('od 'phro can Tib); accīśmatī B; acīśmatī M ♦ -abhimukhī-] BCM (mngon du gyur Tib); abhimukhi E ♦ -dūraṃgamā-] BCM (ring du song Tib); dulāṃgamā E ♦ -acalā-] BCM (mi g-yo ba Tib); acarā E ♦ -sādhumatī-] BCE (legs pa'i blo gros Tib); sādhumati M ♦ -dharmameghāś] CE (chos kyi sprin Tib); dharmameghā BM ♦ viśuddhyā] em. (rnam par dag pa Tib); viśuddhyāṁ BCEM ♦ bhāvayet] BCM (bsgom Tib); bhāvyet E

²¹⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ yamadādhyādi (m.c. for yamadādhyādayaś)] BCE (gshin rje sreg sogs Tib); yamadādhyādi M ♦ ārya-] CEM ('phags pa'i Tib); arya B ♦ -satya-] BCE (bden par Tib); satva M

²¹⁵ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -nirodha-] Bpc ('gog pa Tib); niroddhaḥ Bac; nirodhāt CEM ♦ ceti] CM; caiti B; caitā E

²¹⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ bhagavān] BCM (bcom ldan Tib); bhagavām E ♦ śrī-] BEM (dpal Tib); om. C ♦ -vajraḥ] BCE (rdo rje Tib); vajra M ♦ suviśuddha-] C (rnam dag Tib); śuviśuddha BEM

²¹⁷ kyis] P; kyi D

fectly Pure.

evam viśuddhibhāvanā /50/²¹⁸

/ 'di ltar rnam par dag pa bsgom /²¹⁹

Thus is the contemplation of the purity.

advayayogamārgam̄ guhyātiguhyam̄ paramam̄ rahasyam̄ haṭhayogottama-sādhanopadeśam̄ yathābhedād ādhipatyagurugamyam̄ śikṣet /51/²²⁰

/ gnyis su med par sbyor ba'i lam // gsang zhing mchog tu gsang ba ste /
 / rnal 'byor stobs kyis gsang ba mchog // sgrub pas rjes su bstan pa dang //²²¹
 / ji bzhin bdag po'i dbye ba dang // bla ma'i rim pa legs par bslabs /

He should learn the teaching of the sādhana of uppermost Haṭha yoga, [which is] the path of the yoga of non-duality, [which is] more secret than the [other] secret, [which is] excellent, [which is] concealed, and [which is] to be approached under [the guidance of] a teacher [having] the lordship in accordance with [its] distinction.

evam kavacadvayayogasamayottamasarvavidyopāyahetuṁahārahasyayoginī-hṛdayam̄ sarvakarmaphalapradam /52/²²²

/ 'di ltar cho ga gnyis med par // sbyor ba'i dam tshig mchog yin te //
 / dngos grub kun gyi thabs kyi rgyu // rnal 'byor ma thugs gsang ba che /
 / las rnams kun gyi 'bras bu ster //

The yoga of the two armors thus [taught], [which is] the highest pledge, [which is] the cause for the means of all vidyās, and [which is] the very secret heart of yoginīs, makes all rituals fruitful.

²¹⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ viśuddhi-] BM (rnam par dag pa Tib); viśuddha CE

²¹⁹ bsgom] D; sgom P

²²⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ -mārgam̄] em. (lam Tib); mārgga BEM; mārga C◆ paramam̄] BM (mchog Tib); parama CE◆ rahasyam̄] CEM (gsang ba Tib); rahasya B◆ -padeśam̄] em. (rjes su bstan pa Tib); padesa B; padeśa CEM ◆ yathābhedād ādhipatya-] em.; yathābhedād adhipatya BCM; yathābhedād idhipatī E; ji bzhin bdag po'i dbye ba dang Tib◆ -gamyam̄] em.; gamyatām BCEM; rim pa Tib◆ śikṣet] CM; siṣya Bac; sikṣita Bpc; śiṣyate E; legs par bslabs Tib

²²¹ sgrub pas] D; bsgrub pas P

²²² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ -dvaya-] BCE (gnyis Tib); dvaye M◆ -ttama-] CEM (mchog Tib); ttamayoga B◆ -vidyo-] CEM; vadya Bac; vidyu Bpc; dngos grub Tib◆ -yoginī-] BCM (rnal 'byor ma Tib); yoginī E

abhidhānottarottare kavacadvayayogotpattibhāvanāpaṭalah saptatrimśattamah
/²²³

mngon par brjod pa'i rgyud bla ma'i bla ma las gnyis su med pa'i go cha'i sbyor ba bskyed
pa'i sgom pa'i le'u ste sum cu rtsa bdun pa'o //²²⁴

The 37th chapter, [titled] the visualization of emergence of the wearing of two armors, in the *Abhidhānottarottara*.

²²³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ abhidhāno-] BC (mngon par brjod pa'i Tib); ity abhidhāno E; iti śrī abhidhāno M♦kavacadvaya-] CE; kavacādvaya BM; gnyis su med pa'i go cha'i Tib ♦ sapta-] em. (bdun pa Tib); catus B; ca tu CE; ṣaṭ M♦-trimśattamah] E (sum cu rtsa Tib); triśatamah B; trimśatamah C; trimśatitamah M

²²⁴ sbyor ba] P; sbyor D♦sgom pa'i] D; bsgom pa'i P♦sum cu] D; sum bcu P

5.2. *Abhidhānottara*, Chapter 51

Leaves that contain the whole passages of chapter 51 are missing in I.

athānyam̄ sampravakṣyāmi • saptākṣarabhāvanām̄^o /²²⁵

/ de nas gzhan yang bshad bya ba // yi ge bdun pa sgom pa ste /

Now I shall explain the visualization of the seven letters.

hūmkārākṣaraniśpannam̄ • vajraḍākam̄ mahāsukham //1//²²⁶

/ yi ge hūm̄ las yang dag 'byung // rdo rje mkha' 'gro bde ba che //

(1) [He should visualize] Vajraḍāka, [who] is developed from the syllable of the letter *hūm̄*; [who] is the great pleasure;

ṣaḍbhujam̄ trinetram̄ ca^o • sarvalakṣaṇalaksitam /²²⁷

vyañjanāśītisamyuktam • ālikālyudbhavam̄ prabhum //2//²²⁸

/ phyag drug zhal gsum spyan gsum pa // mtshan rnams thams cad kyis mtshan cing /
/ dpe byad bzang po brgyad cur ldan /²²⁹ / ā li kā li las byung gtso //

[who has] six arms; [who has] three eyes [in each face]; [who] is marked with every [kind of good] mark; [who] is complete with the Eighty Marks; [who] is originated from the vowels and consonants; [who] is a master;

vārāhyā ca samāpannam̄ • śūnyatākaruṇākulam /²³⁰

vajraghantāsamāpannam̄ • vyāghracarmāmbarakāṭim • //3//²³¹

/ phag mo dang ni mnyam par ldan // stong zhing thugs rjes khyab pa ste /

/ rdo rje dril bus mnyam par ldan // na ra'i pags pa gos su mnabs //²³²

²²⁵ athānyam̄] CE (de nas gzhan yang Tib); athāta B; athānya M ◆ sampravakṣyāmi] BCM (bshad bya ba Tib); sampravakṣāmi E ◆ -bhāvanām̄] em. (sgom pa Tib); bhāvanā BCE; bhāvanottamām̄ M

²²⁶ -niśpannam̄] BEM (yang dag 'byung Tib); niśpannam̄ C

²²⁷ ca] M; om. BCE

²²⁸ vyañjanā-] BCE (dpe byad bzang po Tib); vyañjanā M ◆ -śīti-] CM (brgyad cur Tib); śīti B; śīti E ◆ -samyuktam] CEM (ldan Tib); sayuktām B ◆ āli-] BEM (ā li Tib); āli C ◆ -kālyudbhavam̄] CEM (kā li las byung Tib); kālibhuvām B

²²⁹ cur] D; bcur P

²³⁰ vārāhyā] BCM (phag mo Tib); vā~lāhyā E

[who] is in union with Vārāhī; [who] is filled with [the wisdom of] emptiness and compassion; [who] has a vajra and a bell [with one of the three pairs of right and left hands]; [who wears] a garment of a tiger skin around the waist;

• kapālakhaṭvāṅgadadhāriṇam^e /²³³
 triśūladakṣiṇakaram • sarvakāmaphalapradam //4//²³⁴

/ thod pa kha ṭwāṁ ga 'dzin cing // g-yas pa'i phyag na mdung rtse gsum /
 / 'dod pa'i 'bras bu thams cad stsol //

[who] holds a skull bowl and a skull staff [with one of the other two left hands]; [who has] a trident with [one of the other two] right hand[s]; [who] fulfills all wishes;

kapālamālāmakuṭam • viśvavajrajaṭādharam /²³⁵
 ardhenduśekharadharam • ṣaṇmudrādehabhūṣitam //5//²³⁶

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // sna tshogs rdo rje ral pa 'chang /
 / zla ba phyed pa'i spyi gtsug 'chang /²³⁷/ phyag rgya drug gis sku lus brgyan //

[who wears] a wreath of skulls as a crown; [who] has twisted locks of hair [on which] a crossed vajra [is fixed]; [who] has a crescent moon on the head; [whose] body is ornamented with the six mudrās;

ālīḍhapadākrāntam • bhairavam ca sapatnikam /²³⁸
 viśvābje sūryamadhyastham • ṣaḍāracakramadhyagam //6//²³⁹

²³¹ vyāghracarmāmbarakaṭim] B; vyāghracarmmāmbara C; vyāghracarmmāmbaram E; vyāghracarmāmbarakaṭim M; na ra'i pags pa gos su mnabs Tib; cf. vyāghracarmanivasanā (describing the outer feature of the consort Vārāhī) *Abhidhānottara* (51.13b) and naracarmāmbarakaram *Sādhananidhi* (8.44d). See the footnote of *Abhidhānottara* 51.13b. The phrase *naracarma-* in the *Sādhananidhi* is replaced by the phrase *vyāghracarma-* in the *Abhidhānottara*.

²³² na ra'i pags pa] D; nā ra'i lpags pa P◆mnabs] D; bsnams P

²³³ -khaṭvāṅga-] BEM (kha ṭwāṁ ga Tib); khaṇṭvāga C

²³⁴ -śūla-] CE (mdung Tib); śūlam BM

²³⁵ -mālā-] CEM (phreng ba'i Tib); māla B ◆ -makuṭam] C (dbu rgyan can Tib); makuṭā B; mukuṭam EM◆-jaṭā-] CEM (ral pa Tib); jraṭā B

²³⁶ -śekharadharam] C (spyi gtsug 'chang Tib); śe~ṣaram B; śekharam dharam E; śesaradharam M◆ -bhūṣitam] BM (brgyan Tib); bhūṣitām CE

²³⁷ 'chang] D; gtsang P

²³⁸ ālīḍha-] CM (g-yas brkyang ba yi Tib); ālīḍha BE◆ -padā-] CEM (zhabs Tib); pradā B ◆ bhairavam] BCM ('jigs byed Tib); bhai~lavam E◆ sapatnikam] CEM (chung mar bcas pa Tib); sannikā B

/ 'jigs byed chung mar bcas pa dag // g-yas brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis mnan /
 / sna tshogs pa dma nyi steng bzhugs /²⁴⁰ /'khor lo drug gi dbus su bzhugs //²⁴¹

[who stands in] the ālīḍha posture with [his] feet placed on Bhairava and [his] consort; [who] stands at the center of a sun [disk placed] on a double lotus; [who] recides at the center of a six-spoked wheel;

ṣaḍyoginīsamāyuktam • śīghrasiddhipradāyakam /²⁴²
 herukī prathamā devī • dvitīyā vajrabhairavī //7//

/ rnal 'byor ma drug mnyam par sbyar // myur du dngos grub stsol ba yin /
 / dang po khrag 'thung lha mo ste // gnyis pa rdo rje 'jigs byed ma //

[who] is accompanied by the six yoginīs; and [who] bring accomplishments quickly. (2) The first goddess is Herukī. (3) The second is Vajrabhairavī.

trtīyā ghoracandī ca • caturthī vajrabhāskarī /²⁴³
 pañcamī vajraraudrī ca • ṣaṣṭhī syād vajraḍākinī /
 • vāmāvarteṣu vinyaset //8//²⁴⁴

/ gsum pa drag gtum ma yin te // bzhi pa rdo rje nyi ma mo /
 / Inga pa rdo rje drag mo ste // drug pa rdo rje mkha' 'gro ma //
 / g-yon gyi phyogs nas dgod par bya /

And (4) the third is Ghoracandī. (5) The fourth is Vajrabhāskarī. And (6) the fifth is Vajraraudrī. (7) The sixth should be Vajraḍākinī. He should arrange [them] on [the six seats on the six spokes] counterclockwise.

etā devyo mahāraudrās • trinetrā muktakeśinyah • /²⁴⁵

²³⁹ viśvābje] BCE (sna tshogs pa dma Tib); viśvābja M◆ -madhyasthamā] BM; madhyastha C; madhye stha E; steng bzhugs Tib◆ ṣadāra-] BpcCEM; ṣadāra Bac (appearing to be the same word as Bpc); drug gi Tib◆ -madhyagam] em. (dbus su bzhugs Tib); madhyagām BCM; madhye gām E; cf. madhyagāḥ (explaining the six Yoginīs) *Sādhananidhi* (8.47)

²⁴⁰ pa dma] D; pad ma P

²⁴¹ drug gi] D; drug gis P

²⁴² -yoginī] BCM (rnal 'byor ma Tib); yoginī E ◆ -samāyuktam] CEM (mnyam par sbyar Tib); samāyuktām B◆ śīghra-] CM (myur du Tib); śīghra B; śīghram E◆ -pradāyakam] CEM (stsol ba Tib); pradāyakām B

²⁴³ caturthī] BCM (bzhi pa Tib); caturtha E

²⁴⁴ vinyaset] BCM (dgod par bya Tib); viṁnyaset E

²⁴⁵ devyo] em. (lha mo Tib); devyau B; devyā CE; devyāḥ M◆ -raudrās] BM (gtum Tib); raudrā C; raudrīḥ E◆ mukta-] BCM (grol ba Tib); muktaḥ E◆ -keśinyah] BCE (dbu skra Tib); keśinyah M

digambaradharāḥ sarvāḥ • pretasūryopari sthitāḥ //9//²⁴⁶

/ lha mo de dag cher gtum zhing /
 / spyan gsum dbu skra grol ba ste /²⁴⁷/ phyogs kyi gos mchog 'dzin pa yin //
 / thams cad yi dags nyi steng bzhugs /²⁴⁸

These goddesses [each] are very violent, [have] three eyes, [have] hair untied, are all naked, and are astride a sun [disk placed] on a corpse.

nīlā pītā ca haritā^u • raktā dhūmrā sitā tathā /²⁴⁹
 ḫamarughāṇṭādharāḥ sarvā^e • naracarmordhvadhārīṇyāḥ • //10//²⁵⁰

/ sngo zhing ser la ljang pa dang /
 / dmar dang dud la de bzhin dkar // cang te'u dang ni dril bu 'dzin //
 / thams cad na ra'i pags pa 'dzin /²⁵¹

[They are] dark blue, yellow, green, red, gray, and white [in color, respectively]. [They] all hold a drum and a bell [with one of the pairs of right and left hands], hold up a human skin [with the other pair of right and left hands],

kapālamālāmakuṭā • ālīḍhapadasamsthitāḥ /²⁵²
 ṣaḍakṣarasamudbhūtā • devyāḥ sāmnidhyakārikāḥ //11//²⁵³

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can /
 / g-yas brkyang g-yon bskum tshul gyis bzhugs // yi ge drug las yang dag byung //
 / lha mo gzigs pa mtshan ma yin /

²⁴⁶ digambara-] CEM (phyogs kyi gos Tib); digvambarā B ♦ -dharaḥ] M; om. B; dharaparāḥ C; dharā parāḥ E; mchog 'dzin pa Tib ♦ sarvāḥ] BM (thams cad Tib); om. CE ♦ preta-] BM (yi dags Tib); pretā CE ♦ -sūryo-] EM (nyi Tib); pūryā B; śūryyo C ♦ sthitāḥ] CEM (bzhugs Tib); sthitā B

²⁴⁷ dbu skra] D; dbu sgra P

²⁴⁸ steng] em.; stengs DP

²⁴⁹ ca] BCE; om. M♦haritā] BCE (ljang pa Tib); haritā ca M♦sitā] C (dkar Tib); sitās BM; ca sitā E

²⁵⁰ -dharāḥ] B ('dzin Tib); dharā CE; dharos M ♦ sarvā] BCM (thams cad Tib); sarvvān E ♦ -carmordhvā-] BC; carmmoddha E; carmārddha M; pags pa Tib ♦ -dhārīṇyāḥ] BC ('dzin Tib); dhārīṇyā E; dhārīṇī M

²⁵¹ na ra'i pags pa] D; nā ra'i lpags pa P

²⁵² -makuṭā] B (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukuṭā CEM ♦ ālīḍhapada-] B (g-yas brkyang g-yon bskum tshul gyis Tib); ālīḍhalīḍha C; ālīḍhā E; ālīḍhāpada M♦ -samsthitāḥ] CEM (bzhugs Tib); sa sthitāḥ B

²⁵³ ṣaḍakṣara-] CEM (yi ge Tib); ṣara Bac; ṣaḍāra Bpc ♦ devyāḥ] BC (lha mo Tib); devyāḥ EM ♦ sāmnidhya-] C; sānidhya B; sā divya E; sānidhya M ♦ -kārikāḥ] em.; kārakāḥ BCM; dhāraṇāḥ E ♦ gzigs pa mtshan ma yin for sāmnidhyakārikāḥ in Tib

[wear] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, and stand in the ālīḍha posture. Originated from the six letters, [these] goddesses make [their] appearance.

yathā nāthasya varṇam^o • tathā vārāhyām eva ca^u /²⁵⁴
mudrācihnaiś ca tadvat^o • //12//²⁵⁵

/ ji ltar mgon po'i mdog bzhin du /²⁵⁶
/ phag mo yang ni de bzhin te // phyag rgya phyag mtshan de bzhin no //

Vārāhī's [color] is exactly the same as the protector's (viz., Vajradāka's) color. [She] is also like him regarding [her] mudrā marks.

nīlā pītā ca haritā^u • vyāghracarmanivasanā^u • /²⁵⁷
devyā jānu samāveṣṭya • paramānandavihvalā //13//²⁵⁸

/ sngo dang ser dang ljang pa dang // stag gi pags pa gos su mnabs /²⁵⁹
/ lha mo'i byin par mnyam par 'khril /²⁶⁰/ mchog tu dga' bar rnam par myos //²⁶¹

[Vārāhī has three faces whose colors are respectively] dark blue, yellow, and green. [She] wears [a garment of] a tiger skin. Having hugged with the goddess's (viz., her own) two legs, [she] is trembling with the highest pleasure.

om hrīḥ ha ha hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ /14/²⁶²

om hrīḥ ha ha hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ //

Om hrīḥ ha ha hūṁ hūṁ phaṭ.

etāḥ ḫadakṣaraḍākinyah^e • ḫadaṅgottamabhāvanā /²⁶³

²⁵⁴ vārāhyām] BM (phag mo Tib); vārāhyam CE

²⁵⁵ mudrā-] BE (phyag rgya Tib); mudrāś CM ♦ -cihnaiś] CM (phyag mtshan Tib); cihnaś E ♦ tadvat] Bpc (de bzhin Tib); tadvat Bac (appearing to be the same as Bpc); tadvata CM; tadvarṇa E

²⁵⁶ mgon po'i] D; mgon po P

²⁵⁷ nīlā] CEM (sngo Tib); nīlām B; pītā] M (ser Tib); pītām BC; pītāñ E ♦ haritā] E (ljang pa Tib); haritām BCM ♦ vyāghracarmanivasanā] CE (stag gi pags pa gos gu mnabs Tib); vyāghracarmmanivasa-nām BM; cf. naracarmavivarjītā *Sādhananidhi* (8.53b). See the footnote of *Abhidhānottara* 51.3d. The phrase *naracarma-* in the *Sādhananidhi* is replaced by the *vyāghracarma-* in the *Abhidhānottara*.

²⁵⁸ -vihvalā] em. (rnam par myos Tib); vihvalām BCEM

²⁵⁹ pags pa] D; lpags pa P ♦ mnabs] D; bsnabs P

²⁶⁰ mnyam par] D; mnyem par P

²⁶¹ myos] P; mos D

²⁶² hrīḥ] BEM (hrīḥ Tib); hrīṁḥ C ♦ hūṁ hūṁ] BEM (hūṁ hūṁ Tib); hum hum C

saptamo madhyavartī ca • hūmkārākāraherukah //15//²⁶⁴

/ yi ge de las mkha' 'gro ma /²⁶⁵/ yan lag drug pa rnam par bsgom /
 / bdun pa dbus su dgod pa ni // yi ge hūm las he ru ka //

These are the ḍākinīs of the six letters. [For them there is] a meditation on the uppermost six [of the Seven] Limbs [of Enlightenment]. And the seventh [deity, who] resides at the center, is Heruka [having] the feature of the letter *hūm*.

smṛtisambodhyaṅgam madhye bhagavān śrīherukah /²⁶⁶ dharmapravicaya-sambodhyaṅgam herukavajrā /²⁶⁷ vīryasambodhyaṅgam vajrabhairavā /²⁶⁸ prītisambodhyaṅgam ghoracaṇḍī /²⁶⁹ praśrabdhisambodhyaṅgam vajrabhāskarī /²⁷⁰ samādhisambodhyaṅgam vajraraudrī /²⁷¹ upekṣasambodhyaṅgam vajradākinī /²⁷² iti saptabodhyaṅgabhāvanā bhāvyā /16/

dbus su dran pa yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ste bcom ldan 'das dpal he ru ka'o // chos rnam par 'byed pa yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ni rdo rje he ru ka ma'o // brtson 'grus yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ni rdo rje 'jigs byed ma'o // dga' ba yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ni drag gtum ma'o //²⁷³ shin tu sbyangs pa yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ni rdo rje nyi ma'o //²⁷⁴ ting nge 'dzin yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ni rdo rje drag mo'o // btang snyoms yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag ni rdo rje mkha' 'gro ma ste / byang chub yan lag 'di bdun bsgom /

(1) The Recollection Limb of Enlightenment is the Lord glorious Heruka (viz., Vajradāka) at the center. (2) The Investigation of Dharma Limb of Enlightenment is Herukavajrā (viz.,

²⁶³ etāḥ] BM; etā CE; de las Tib◆ ṣadakṣara-] C; ṣadākṣara B; ṣadakṣaramantra E; ṣadāra M; yi ge Tib◆-ḍākiṇyah] CEM (mkha' 'gro ma Tib); ḍākiṇyah B◆-aṅgottama-] BCM; aṅgāttama E; yan lag Tib

²⁶⁴ saptamo] em. (bdun pa Tib); saptamam BCEM◆madhya-] BCM (dbus su Tib); madhye E◆-vartī] CEM (dgod pa Tib); vartti B◆ hūmkārākāra-] CEM; hūmkā~lākāra B; yi ge hūm las Tib◆-herukah] em. (he ru ka Tib); herukam BCEM

²⁶⁵ de las] D; de bas P

²⁶⁶ -aṅgam] em. (yan lag Tib); aṅga BCE; amga M◆bhagavān] M (bcom ldn 'das Tib); bhagavām BCE◆-herukah] BCE (he ru ka Tib); herukeh M

²⁶⁷ -pravicaya-] BCE (rnam par 'byed pa Tib); praticaya M◆-sambodhy-] CEM (yang dag byang chub Tib); sabodhy B◆-aṅgam] BC (yan lag Tib); aṅga E; amga M◆heruka-] BpcCEMpc (he ru ka Tib); heruke Bac; heru Mac

²⁶⁸ -aṅgam] C (yan lag Tib); eṅgam B; aṅga EM◆-bhairavā] BCM ('jigs byed ma Tib); bhai~lavā E

²⁶⁹ -aṅgam] BC (yan lag Tib); aṅga E; amga M◆-caṇḍī] BMpc (gtum ma Tib); caṇḍī CE; ḥṇḍī Mac

²⁷⁰ praśrabdhī-] CM (shin tu sbyangs pa Tib); prasrandi B; praśabdhi E◆-aṅgam] B (yan lag Tib); aṅga CE; amga M

²⁷¹ -aṅgam] BC (yan lag Tib); aṅga EM

²⁷² -sambodhyaṅgam] BC (yang dag byang chub kyi yan lag Tib); sambodhyaṅga E; sambodhyamga M

²⁷³ gtum ma] D; gtum mo P

²⁷⁴ nyi ma'o] em.; nyi ma ma'o T

Herukī). (3) The Effort Limb of Enlightenment is Vajrabhairavā (viz., Vajrabhairavī). (4) The Rapture Limb of Enlightenment is Ghoracaṇḍī. (5) The Tranquility Limb of Enlightenment is Vajrabhāskarī. (6) The Concentration Limb of Enlightenment is Vajraraudrī. (7) The Renunciation Limb of Enlightenment is Vajradākinī. The contemplation of the Seven Limbs of Enlightenment is thus to be performed.

yathānukramayogena • /²⁷⁵
japen mantram atulaṁ • sarvakrodhālayottamam //17//²⁷⁶
pakṣābhyantrataḥ siddhim • mandapuṇyo 'pi mānavah /²⁷⁷
sadā dhyāyī ahorātram • saptarātram na samśayah //18//²⁷⁸

/ ji lta'i rim pas sbyor zhing bsgom /²⁷⁹
/ gsang sngags gzhal med pa bzlas shing // khro bo kun gyi gnas mchog ste //
/ bsod nams chung ba'i sgrub pos kyang // zla phyed nang du dngos grub ste /
/ rtag tu zhag re bsgoms pa ni // zhag bdun gyis ni the tshom med //

He should recite the mantra [of the seven letters], [which] is unequaled and [which] is the uppermost base of all furious [ones], with yoga in due order. [By this] even a man of little merits [can attain] the accomplishment in half a month. Always meditating all day, [he can attain it] at the seventh night, no doubt.

vaiśākhe māsi pūrṇimāyām mātā bhaginī saha duhitā bhāgineyikā prajñopā-
yavidhānena divārātri japabhāvanām kuryāt,²⁸⁰ prabhāte śrīherukasamo bhavet
/19/²⁸¹

/ dpyid zla tha chung nya la ni /²⁸² ma sring bu mo tsha mo dang /²⁸³

²⁷⁵ yathā-] BM (ji lta'i Tib); *om.* CE

²⁷⁶ mantram] BpcCEM (gsang sngags Tib); mantra Bac ♦ atulaṁ] BpcEM (gzhal med pa Tib); tulam Bac; amṛgulam C; gzhal me pa Tib ♦ sarva-] C (kun Tib); sarvā B; sarvā M ♦ -layo-] B (gnas Tib); nayo CEM

²⁷⁷ pakṣā-] CEM (zla phyed Tib); yakṣā B ♦ -bhyantrataḥ] em. (nang du Tib); bhyantarata BE; bhyantrata C; bhyantrata M ♦ siddhim] em. (dngos grub Tib); siddhi BCEM ♦ -puṇyo] CEM (bsod nams Tib); pūṇyau B ♦ 'pi] em. (kyang Tib); hi BCEM ♦ mānavah] BM; mānavah CE; sgrub pos Tib

²⁷⁸ dhyāyī] CE (bsgom pa Tib); dhyāyīm BM ♦ saptarātram] CE (zhag bdun gyis Tib); saptarātham B; saptarātra M ♦ na samśayah] EM (the tshom med Tib); asamśayah BC

²⁷⁹ bsgom] D; sgom P

²⁸⁰ vaiśākhe māsi] em. (dpyid zla tha chung Tib); vaiśāše māsī B; vaiśākhamāsi C; vaiśākhi māsi E; vaiśākhamāsi M ♦ pūrṇimāyām] BCM (nya Tib); pūrṇamāyām E; sa nyal Tib ♦ mātā] CEM (ma Tib); mātā B ♦ bhaginī] BM (sring Tib); bhaganī CE ♦ bhāgineyikā] M; bhāganeyikā BCE; che mo Tib ♦ mātā bhaginī saha duhitā bhāgineyikā] The four nouns in normative form are connected with saha (meaning "together with a mother, a sister, a daughter, and a sister's daughter") ♦ -rātri] BM (mtshan Tib); rātrau CE ♦ japa-] M (bzlas shing Tib); jāpa B; trijāpa CE

²⁸¹ -heruka-] BCM (khrag 'thung Tib); heruko E

/ shes rab thabs kyi cho ga yis // nyin mtshan bzlas shing bsgoms byas pas /²⁸⁴
/ tho rangs dpal khrag 'thung mnyam 'gyur //

If he performs the recitation and visualization with a mother, a sister, a daughter, and a sister's daughter in a day and night of the full moon in the Vaiśākha month according to the prescription of Wisdom and Means, he can become equal to glorious Heruka at dawn.

abhidhānottara upahṛdayotpattibhāvanāpaṭala ekapañcāśah /²⁸⁵

mngon par brjod pa'i rgyud bla ma'i bla ma las nye ba'i snying po bsgoms pa bskyed pa'i
le'u ste Inga bcu rtsa gcig pa'o //²⁸⁶

The 51st chapter, [titled] the visualization of emergence of the quasi-heart [mantra of Heruka], in the *Abhidhānottara*.

²⁸² dpyid zla tha chung] P; dpyid zla tha chungs D

²⁸³ sring] D; srid P

²⁸⁴ bsgoms] D; bsgom P

²⁸⁵ abhidhāno-] BCE (mngon par brjod pa'i Tib); iti śrī abhidhāno M ♦ -ttara] B; ttarottare CEM; bla ma'i bla ma las Tib ♦ upahṛdayotpattibhāvanā-] em. (nye ba'i snying po bsgoms pa bskyed pa'i Tib); upahṛdayasādhanātpattibhāvanā B; upahṛdayasādhanotpattibhāvanā C; upahṛdaye sādhanotpattibhāvanā E; upahṛdayā sādhanotpattibhāvanā M; cf. The title of the 52nd chapter, -hṛdayotpattibhāvanā. ♦ ekapañcāśah] em. (Inga bcu rtsa gcig pa Tib); aṣṭacatvārinsah B; 'ṣṭacatvārimśah CE; pañcāśattamah M

²⁸⁶ bsgoms pa] D; bsgoms pas P

5.3. *Abhidhānottara*, Chapter 52

athāsyā hṛdayam vakṣye • sarvasattvahitodayam /²⁸⁷
 hūṃkārajñānananispānṇam • mahāsukham sukhodayam //1//²⁸⁸

/ gzhan yang snying po bshad bya ba // sems can kun la phan 'dogs pa /
 / hūṃ gi ye shes las byung ba // bde ba chen po bde las byung //

Now, I shall explain his heart [mantra], [which] brings benefit to all sentient beings. (1) [He should visualize the Lord, Heruka, who] is developed from the letter *hūṃ* [representing] gnosis; [who] is the Great Pleasure; [who] produces pleasure;

nīlasitograbhīmābhām • aṣṭāsyam raudrabhīṣāṇam /²⁸⁹
 trinetram ṣoḍāśabhujaṁ^u • muṇḍamālāvibhūṣitam //2//²⁹⁰

/ sngo zhing dkar la drag po ste /²⁹¹ zhal brgyad pa la shin tu 'jigs /
 / spyan gsum pa la phyag bcu drug // mgo yi phreng bas rnam par brgyan //

[who] is dark-bluish white [in color and] looks furious and frightful; [who has] eight faces; [who] is violent and frightening; [who has] three eyes [on each face]; [who has] sixteen arms; [who] is ornamented with a wreath of hairless heads [as a necklace];

kapālamālāmakuṭam • ardha-candra-jatādharam /²⁹²
 viśvavajraśirākrāntam • ṣaṇmudrā-dehabhūṣitam //3//²⁹³

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // zla ba phyed pa'i ral pa 'chang /
 / sna tshogs rdo rjes dbu la mnan // phyag rgya drug gis sku la brgyan //²⁹⁴

[who wears] a wreath of skulls as a crown; [who] wears twisted locks of hair [on which] a cres-

²⁸⁷ Leaves that contain passages from this opening line (53.1) to "trine" (the first two letters) of verse 52.29a are missing in I.

²⁸⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I ◆ -sukham] em. (bde ba Tib); sukha BCEM; cf. sukham *Sādhananidhi* (8.5d)

²⁸⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -togra-] BM (drag po Tib); tāgra CE; drag po for -togrābhīmābhām Tib ◆ -bhīṣāṇam] CEM; bhīṣā~nām B; shin tu 'jigs for raudrabhīṣāṇam Tib

²⁹⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -vibhūṣitam] BEM (rnām par brgyan Tib); vibhūṣitām C

²⁹¹ dkar la] D; dkar ba P

²⁹² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -makuṭam] B (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukuṭam CEM

²⁹³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -vajra-] CEM (rdo rje Tib); bja B ◆ -śirā- (m.c. for -śira-ā-)] CE (dbu la Tib); sirā BM

²⁹⁴ brgyan] D; rgyan P

cent moon [is fixed]; [has] a crossed vajra on [his] head; [whose] body is ornamented with the six mudrās;

ālīḍhapadākrāntam^o • mahābhairavabhīṣanam /²⁹⁵

/ 'jigs byed chen po 'jigs pa ni // g-yas brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis gnon /²⁹⁶
 / dus mtshan shin tu 'jigs pa yang // g-yon brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis gnon //

[who stands in] the ālīḍha posture with [his] feet placed on great Bhairava, frightening [him];²⁹⁷

vajraghaṇṭāsamāpannam • vārāhīkucapīḍanam //4//²⁹⁸
 brahmaṇah kṛttim utkṛtya • prsthaphrāvṛtvigraham /²⁹⁹

/ rdo rje dril bu mnyam ldan pas // phag mo yi ni ku tsa 'tshir /
 / tshangs lpags bshus nas rgyan du 'dzin //³⁰⁰

[who] holds [with the first right and left hands] a vajra and a bell; [who] is pressing Vārāhī's breasts [by embracing her with the same two armes]; [who] tears off the skin of Brahman and covers [with it] the back of [his] body [with the second right and left hands];

triśūlam paraśūm khadgām • ḍamarukartṛkāparam //5//³⁰¹
 aṅkuśam aştame dadyād • dakṣiṇe bhuja -m- eva ca /³⁰²

/ mdung rtse gsum dang dgra sta dang // kha ṭwāṁ cang te'u gri gug mchog /

²⁹⁵ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆-padā-] CEM (zhabs kyis Tib); pradā B◆-krāntam (m.c. for -krānta-)] BCEM (gnon Tib) ◆ mahā-] BpcCEM (chen po Tib); mama Bac ◆ -bhairava-] BCM ('jigs byed Tib); bhair~lava E◆-bhīṣanam] BpcCEM ('jigs pa Tib); bhīṣaṣa Bac ◆ This line is followed by / dus mtshan shin tu 'jigs pa yang // g-yon brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis gnon // in Tib

²⁹⁶ brkyang ba yi] D; brkyang ba'i P

²⁹⁷ Bhairava's consort, Kālarātrī is also placed underfoot in Tib.

²⁹⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ vārāhī-] em. (phag mo yi Tib); vārāhyā BCEM ◆ -pīḍanam] CEM ('tshir Tib); pīḍitam B; cf. -pīḍanam (em.; pīḍitam Skt mss.) Sādhananidhi (8.9b)

²⁹⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ brahmaṇah] em (tshangs Tib).; brāhmaṇa BCEM ◆ -kṛttim] BM (lpags Tib); kṛtim CE◆-utkṛtya] CEM (bshus nas Tib); uṅkṛtya B◆-prāvṛta-] CEM ('dzin Tib); prāvṛtam B◆-vigraham] CEM; vigraha B; om. Tib

³⁰⁰ bshus nas] D; shus nas P

³⁰¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ triśūlam] em. (mdung rtse Tib); triśūla BCEM ◆ -paraśūm] em. (dgra sta Tib); paraśū BM; paraśū C; pa~laśū E◆khadgām] em. (kha ṭwāṁ Tib); khadga BpcCEM; vigraha Bac; kha ṭwāṁ Tib ◆ ḍamaru-] BpcCEM (cang te'u Tib); ḍama Bac ◆ -param] M (mchog Tib); para B; dharam CE

³⁰² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I.◆ aştame] B (brgyad pa la Tib); aştamam CEM ◆ dakṣiṇe] BM (g-yas pa'i Tib); dakṣiṇā CE

/ brgyad pa la ni lcags kyu thogs // g-yas pa'i phyag rnam de bzhin no //

[who has] a trident, [who has] an axe, and [who has] a sword [with the third, fourth, and fifth right hands, respectively]; and [who carries] eagerly a drum and a knife [with the sixth and seventh right hands, respectively]. He should give a hook exactly to the eighth right hand.

kapālam caiva khaṭvāṅgam • muṇḍapāśadharam param //6//³⁰³
• mudgaram tarjanī parā /³⁰⁴

/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ ga // mgo bo zhags pa 'dzin pa'i mchog /
/ tho ba sdigs mdzub dam pa ste //³⁰⁵

[He should visualize the Lord, who has] a skull bowl, [who has] a skull staff, [who] holds a hairless head and a noose, and [who carries] a hammer, excellent, [with the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh left hands, respectively]. The threatening finger gesture, excellent, is [made with the eighth left hand].

Śrīkārajñānanispannā • vārāhī rūpam agrataḥ //7//³⁰⁶
raktacchāyā sitā ugrā • jānudvayasuveṣṭitā /³⁰⁷

/ shrī yi ye shes yang dag rdzogs // pang du phag mo'i gzugs yin te /
/ drag cing dmar la dkar ba yin // byin pa gnyis kyis legs par 'khril //

(2) Vārāhī is developed from the letter śrī [representing] gnosis; [her] physical body is in front [of her consort]. [She] is red in color, is bright [in color], is furious, hugs [her consort] with [her] two knees well,

muktakesī trinayanā • kapālamālāvibhūṣitā //8//³⁰⁸
tadvakrabhujasamsthānā • khaṇḍamaṇḍitamekhalā /³⁰⁹

³⁰³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ khaṭvāṅgam] em. (ni kha ṭwāṁ ga Tib); khaṭvāṅga BCEM; cf. khaṭvāṅgam *Sādhananidhi* (8.10c)

³⁰⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ mudgaram] CM (tho ba Tib); muṇḍaram BE ♦ parā] M (dam pa Tib); dharā BCE

³⁰⁵ sdigs mdzub] D; sdig 'dzub P

³⁰⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -niśpannā] em. (yang dag rdzogs Tib); niśpannām BCEM

³⁰⁷ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -cchāyā] BCEM; n.e. Tib ♦ ugrā] CE (drag Tib); ugrām BM ♦ -veṣṭitā] CE ('khril Tib); veṣṭitām BM

³⁰⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -keśī] CE (skra Tib); keśā B; keśām M ♦ -nayanā] CE (spyan Tib); natram Bac; nayanām Bpc; nayanām M ♦ -mālā-] BM (phreng bas Tib); māla CE ♦ -vibhūṣitā] em. (rnam par brgyan Tib); vibhūṣitām BM; -bhūṣitā CE; cf. -vibhūṣitā *Sādhananidhi* (8.13b)

/ skra grol ba la spyan gsum pa // thod pa'i phreng bas rnam par brgyan /
 / de yi zhal dang phyag tu gnas /³¹⁰/ dum bu'i rgyan gyi ska rags can //³¹¹

[has her] hair untied, [has] three eyes, is ornamented with a wreath of skulls, [has the same number of] faces and arms and physical appearance as him,³¹² [wears] a girdle decorated with fragments [of skulls],

damṣṭrākarālavadanā • //9//³¹³
 digvāsā rāgadṛṣṭā ca • vistīrṇakaṭimaṇḍalā /³¹⁴

/ mche ba rnam par gtsigs pa'i zhal /
 / phyogs kyi gos can chags pas gzigs // rked pa'i dkyil 'khor rgya yang che //

[has her] mouth showing fangs, is naked, looks lovingly, [has] big hips,

nīlam sitam tathā raktam • pītaharitadhūmrajam //10//³¹⁵
 dhūsaram bhasmaśubhram ca • evam vaktrāṇi rūpataḥ /³¹⁶

/ sngo zhing dkar la de bzhin dmar // ser zhing ljang la dud kha ste /³¹⁷
 / du ba thal ba sprin gyi mdog // 'di 'dra'i zhal dang gzugs su gnas //

Dark blue, white, red, yellow, green, gray, smoky, and likewise ash-like white —Thus are [her eight] faces by color.

śaracāpadharā devī • brahmacarmavivarjītā //11//³¹⁸

³⁰⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -vaktra-] BCE (zhal Tib); vaktraṁ M♦ -samsthānā] CEM (gnas Tib); sasthānā B♦ -mekhalā] CE (ska rags can Tib); mekha~rā B; mekhalaṁ M

³¹⁰ phyag tu] D; phyag du P

³¹¹ rgyan gyi] D; rgyan gyis P♦ ska rags] D; ske rags P

³¹² However, the *Vṛtti* comments that Vārāhī has one face and two arms (D 217v2).

³¹³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ damṣṭrā-] CM (mche ba Tib); draṣṭrā B; draṣṭā E♦ -karāla-] CM (rnam par gtsigs pa'i Tib); karāra B; karā~ra E♦ -vadanā] E (zhal Tib); vadānāṁ BCM

³¹⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ rāga-] CEM (chags pas Tib); nāga B♦ -drṣṭā] em. (gzigs Tib); prṣṭā BCEM; cf. -drṣṭā *Sādhananidhi* (8.14c) ♦ -maṇḍalā] em. (dkyil 'khor Tib); mekhalaṁ BM; mekhala CE; cf. -maṇḍalā *Sādhananidhi* (8.14d)

³¹⁵ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ nīlam] BE (sngo Tib); nīla CM ♦ tathā] BEM (de bzhin Tib); rathā C ♦ pīta-] BM (ser Tib); haritam CE ♦ -harita-] BM (ljang Tib); pītam CE ♦ dhūmrajam] B (dud kha Tib); dhrūmrajā CEM

³¹⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -śubhram] CE; śubhañ B; śubhra M; sprin gyi mdog Tib♦ evam] BCE ('di 'dra'i Tib); eka M♦ rūpataḥ] BCM (gzugs su Tib); rupataḥ E

³¹⁷ dud kha] P; dud ka D

³¹⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ śara-] CEM (mda' Tib); sara B♦ -carma-] CEM (pags pa Tib); carmā B♦ -vivarjītā] CE (rnam par spangs Tib); varakarttitā B; vivarjītā M

candrasūryamadhyasthā° • viśvapadmopari sthitā /³¹⁹

/ lha mo mda' dang gzhu 'dzin cing // tshangs pa'i pags pa rnam par spangs /³²⁰
 / sna tshogs pa dma'i steng du ni /³²¹/ zla ba nyi ma'i dbus su bzhugs //

The goddess holds [with the second right and left hands] an arrow and a bow instead of Brahman's skin.³²² She stands at the center of a sun [disk placed] on a moon [disk] and is astride a double lotus.

aṣṭāracakramadhyasthā • bāhyamaṇḍalakalpanāt //12//³²³
 padmavaraṭamadhye tu • bhagavān sunivāsanāt /³²⁴

/ 'khor lo brgyad pa'i dbus bzhugs par // phyi yi dkyil 'khor rnam par bsgom /³²⁵
 / pa dma'i lte ba'i dbus su ni /³²⁶/ bcom ldan 'das ni nges par dgod //

[Vārāhī] is located at the center of the eight-spoked wheel through making an external maṇḍala. The Lord is at the center of the pericarp of the lotus through good placement.³²⁷

omkāre pūrvapattre tu • prañavadākinīṁ nyaset //13//³²⁸
 vakāra uttare pattro • vadavāmukhadākinīṁ nyaset^e /³²⁹

³¹⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦-sūrya-] BCM (nyi ma'i Tib); suryya E ♦-madhya-] BCM (dbus su Tib); madhye E ♦-sthā] em. (bzhugs Tib); sthāṁ BCEM ♦ sthitā] E; sthitāṁ BCM; n.e. Tib

³²⁰ pags pa] D; lpags pa P

³²¹ pa dma'i] D; pad ma'i P

³²² This means that all her hands are the same as he consort Heruka's except for these two hands: With the second right and left hands Heruka holds Brahman's skin, but she holds an arrow and a bow.

³²³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦-madhya-] BCM (dbus Tib); madhye E ♦-sthā] em. (bzhugs Tib); sthāṁ BCEM ♦-kalpanāt] CEM (rnam par bsgom Tib); kālavat B

³²⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦-varaṭa-] em. (lte ba'i Tib); varata B; varaṭaka CEM ♦-madhye tu] CEM (dbus su Tib); patrañ ca B ♦ bhagavān] CEM (bcom ldan 'das Tib); tatra madhyan B ♦ sunivasanāt] em. (nges par dgod Tib); nivāsanāt B; suniveśayet CEM

³²⁵ bsgom] D; sgom P

³²⁶ pa dma'i] D; pad ma'i P

³²⁷ In short, this verse says that the couple of the Lord and Vārāhī are located at the center of the mandala.

³²⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ tu] BCM; om. E ♦ prañava-] BM (gsal byed Tib); prañavā CE; cf. pranava- *Sādhananidhi* (8.15) ♦-dākinīṁ] em. (mkha' 'gro ma Tib); tma Bac; dākini BpcCE; dākinī M; cf. -dākinīṁ *Sādhananidhi* (8.15) ♦ nyaset] em. (dgod Tib); vim nyaset B; vinyaset CEM; yang dgod Tib; cf. nyaset *Sādhananidhi* (8.15)

³²⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ This line is omitted in Bac ♦ uttare] BpcM (byang gi Tib); uttara CE ♦-mukha-] CEM (gdong Tib); mukhā Bpc ♦-dākinīṁ] em. (mkha' 'gro ma Tib); dākinī BpcCEM; cf. -dākinīṁ *Sādhananidhi* (8.15) ♦ nyaset] E (dgod Tib); vinyaset BpcC; vinyaśet M; cf. nyaset *Sādhananidhi* (8.15)

/ om ni shar gyi 'dab ma la // gsal byed mkha' 'gro ma yang dgod /
 / ba ni byang gi 'dab la ste /³³⁰ rta gdong mkha' 'gro ma yang dgod //

- (3) He should place Prañavāḍākinī on the east petal by means of the letter *om*. (4) He should place Vāḍavāmukhaḍākinī on the north petal by means of the letter *va*.

jrakāre jraśogrām ḍākinīṁ^u • vinyaset paścime pattrē • //14//³³¹
 • hekāre dakṣiṇe dale • nyased dhemābhāḍākinīṁ /³³²

/ dzra ni rdo rje drag mo ste // mkha' 'gro nub tu dgod par bya /³³³
 / he ru lho phyogs 'dab la dgod // gser gyi mdog can mkha' 'gro ma //

- (5) He should place the ḍākinī, Jraśogrā [by name], on the west petal by means of the letter *jra*.
 (6) He should place Hemābhāḍākinī on the south petal by means of the letter *he*.

pītā śyāmā sitā raktā • trimukhā ṣadbhujā tathā //15//³³⁴
 trinetrā vikṛtā ghorā • digvāsā muktakeśinī /³³⁵

/ ser dang sngo bsangs dkar dang dmar // zhal gsum rnam sgyur drag po ste /
 / phyogs kyi gos can skra grol ba //

[These four ḍākinīs are respectively] yellow, gray, white, and red [in color]. [Each ḍākinī has] three faces, [has] six arms, and likewise [has] three eyes [on each face], is ugly, is dreadful, is naked, [her] hair untied,

śavopari sthitālīḍhā • caturmārapramardanī //16//³³⁶

³³⁰ ba ni] D; pa ni P

³³¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ For this line, jrakāra jrasormvyadākinyā vinyaset prañiseyata Bac. ◆ jrakāre] Bpc; jakāra CE; jakāre M; dzra Tib ◆ jraśogrām] em.; om. Bpc; jasaugrā C; jasogrā E; jogrā M; rdo rje drag mo Tib. As she is a deification of the letter *jra*, the initial letter of her name must be *jra*; cf. jraśogrā- (snyan grags ma drag shul Tib) *Sādhananidhi* (8.15), which appears to be derived from jaśa-ugrā (viz., yaśa-ugrā). ◆ ḍākinīṁ] em. (mkha' 'gro Tib); ḍākinyādi Bpc; ḍākinyo CM; ḍākinyā E; cf. -ḍākinīṁ *Sādhananidhi* (8.15) ◆ vinyaset] CEM (dgod par bya Tib); vinyase Bpc ◆ paścime] em. (nub tu Tib); paścima BEM; padmaścima C

³³² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ dakṣiṇe] BM; dakṣiṇa CE; lho phyogs Tib ◆ nyased] BCM (dgod Tib); nyasyet E ◆ -ḍākinīṁ] em. (mkha' 'gro ma Tib); ḍākinī BCEM; cf. -ḍākinīṁ *Sādhananidhi* (8.15)

³³³ nub tu] D; nub du P

³³⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ pītā śyāmā] BacM (ser dang sngo bsangs Tib); pītāsyā Bpc; pītā syāmā CE

³³⁵ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ trinetrā] CEM; nairṛta B; n.e. Tib ◆ vikṛtā] CEM (rnām sgyur Tib); vidikṣunāṁ B ◆ digvāsā] BCM (phyogs kyi gos can Tib); digvā E ◆ -keśinī] BCM (skra Tib); keśī nī E

kapālamālinī raudrā • sthūlapadmā tu kamḍharā /³³⁷

/ ro yi steng du bzhugs pa ste // g-yas brkyang ba yis bdud bzhi 'joms /
/ thod pa'i phreng ba drag po ste // pa dma sbom po'i 'dab ma la //³³⁸

stands in the ālīḍha posture on a corpse, destroys four Māras, [wears] a wreath of skulls, is violent, [has] a big lotus, has [big] breasts,

kaṭākṣekṣaṇahasitā^u • karuṇārāgasatsukhā //17//³³⁹
bāṇagāṇḍivadharā^o • pāśāṅkuśakarā parā /³⁴⁰

/ chags pa'i spyan gyis gzigs shing bzhad /³⁴¹/ thugs rje'i nyams kyis bde ba yin /
/ mda' dang gzhu yang 'chang ba ste // zhags pa lcags kyu 'dzin pa'i mchog //

casts an amorous glance and is laughing, is in the right pleasure of compassionate desire, holds an arrow and a bow [in the first right and left hands], holds a noose and a hook [in the second right and left hands], is excellent,

kapālakhaṭvāṅgaḍamaru • kaṅkaṇakanakāyatā //18//³⁴²
pītā haritanīlā ca • śyāmā raktasitā tathā /³⁴³

/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ bsname // cang te'u ni sgra yang sgrogs /
/ ser dang ljang gu sngo ba dang /³⁴⁴/ sngo bsangs dmar dang dkar ba dang //

³³⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ śavopari] CM (ro Tib); sarvvopari B; śavoparī E ♦ sthitā-] CEM (bzhugs pa Tib); sthitāḥ B ♦ -māra-] BCM (bdud Tib); mmudrā E ♦ -pramardanī] CE ('joms Tib); pramarddakāḥ B; pramardakāḥ M

³³⁷ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ raudrā] C (drag po Tib); raudrī BEM ♦ sthūla-] CM (sbom po'i Tib); sthūra B; sthula E ♦ -padmā] CM (pa dma Tib); jamghā B; padmo E ♦ kamḍharā] CEM; keñkalā B; 'dab ma Tib. It means "breast" (water [kaṁ] holder [dharā]); cf. -payodharā *Sādhananidhi* (8.18d)

³³⁸ pa dma] D; pad ma P ♦ sbom po'i] D; sgom pa'i P

³³⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ kaṭākṣekṣaṇa-] em. (chags pa'i spyan gyis gzigs shing Tib); kaṭākṣo dakṣiṇa B; kaṭākṣo'kṣiṇe C; kaṭākṣo dakṣiṇe EM; cf. kaṭākṣekṣaṇa *Sādhananidhi* (8.38a) ♦ -satsukhā] BacEM; satsukhāḥ Bpc; sanmukhā C; bde ba Tib

³⁴⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -gāṇḍiva-] em. (gzhu Tib); gaṇḍīva B; gamḍīva C; gaṇḍī E; gaṇḍīva M ♦ parā] BM (mchog Tib); dharā CE

³⁴¹ chags pa'i] D; chags pa P ♦ bzhad] P; bzhed D

³⁴² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -khaṭvāṅga-] CEM (kha ṭwāṁ Tib); mālamakuṭām B; kha ṭwāṁ bsname Tib ♦ -ḍamaru] CEM (cang te'u Tib); dehakarṇena B ♦ kaṅkaṇakanakāyatā (uncertain)] em.; kāya## Bac; kāyatā Bpc; kakaṇakanakāyatā C; kaṇakanakāyatā E; kamkaṇakanakāyatā M; bsname and sgra yang sgrogs Tib

³⁴³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ harita-] CM (ljang gu Tib); harītā B; haritā E ♦ ca śyāmā raktasitā tathā] corr. (sngo bsangs dmar dang dkar ba dang Tib); om. Bac; syāmā for śyāmā Bpc- CEM

³⁴⁴ ljang gu] D; ljang khu P

[holds] a skull bowl and a skull staff [with the third left hand], and a drum [with the third right hand], and wears a bracelet [made of] gold. [Praṇavaḍākinī has three faces whose colors are respectively] yellow, green, and dark blue. Likewise, [Vadavāmukhadākinī has three faces whose colors are respectively] gray, red, and white.

sitā haritanīlā^o • raktā nīlaharitā tathā^e //19//³⁴⁵
 evam̄ varṇaviśeṣeṇa • samayottamabhāvanā /³⁴⁶
 catuhkoneṣu kalaśā^u • bodhicittaprapūritāḥ //20//³⁴⁷

/ dkar dang ljang gu sngo ba dang /³⁴⁸ / dmar dang sngo dang ljang pa ste /
 / 'di ltar mdog ni khyad par gyis // dam tshig mchog ni bsgom par bya //³⁴⁹
 / mtshams bzhi ru ni bum pa dag // byang chub sems kyis gang bar bzhag /

[Jraśogrā has three faces whose colors are respectively] white, green, and dark blue. Likewise, [Hemābhaḍākinī has three faces whose colors are respectively] red, dark blue, and green. In this way [he] visualizes the uppermost pledge in accordance with the distinction of colors. At the four corners are [four] pots filled with the awakening mind.

pūrvāre hekāreṇa helikā nāmataḥ /³⁵⁰ uttare rukāreṇa rucakī nāma ḍākinī /³⁵¹
 paścime rukāreṇa rucakamālinī nāma /³⁵² dakṣiṇe kamkāreṇa kaṅkālinī nāmataḥ
 /21/³⁵³

/ shar gyi phyogs su he yin te // ming ni he li ka zhes bya //

³⁴⁵ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ sitā] BpcCM (dkar Tib); om. Bac; sitā tathā E ◆ harita-] BpcCM (ljang gu Tib); om. Bac; haritā E ◆ -nīlā] Bpc (sngo ba Tib); om. Bac; nīla CEM ◆ raktā] em. (dmar Tib); raktam B; rakta CEM ◆ nīla-] CEM (sngo Tib); leli B ◆ -haritā] CEM (ljang pa Tib); hā B ◆ tathā] CEM; nanām B; n.e. Tib

³⁴⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ This line is omitted in E. ◆ evam̄] CM ('di ltar Tib); tathā B ◆ varṇa-] CM (mdog Tib); heruka B ◆ -viśeṣeṇa] CM (khyad par gyis Tib); nāme~na B

³⁴⁷ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ This line is omitted in E. ◆ catuh-] BpcCM (bzhi Tib); catu Bac ◆ kalaśā] em. (bum pa dag Tib); kalasān B; kalasān CM ◆ -citta-] CM (sems Tib); cirtta B ◆ -prapūritāḥ] em. (gang bar bzhag Tib); prapūlitām B; prapūritān CM

³⁴⁸ ljang gu] D; ljang khu P

³⁴⁹ bsgom par bya] D; sgom par bya P

³⁵⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ This line is omitted in E. ◆ pūrvāre] BCM; shar gyi phyogs su Tib ◆ hekāreṇa] BCE; he yin te Tib ◆ helikā] CM (he li ka Tib); herikā B

³⁵¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ rukāreṇa rucakī] BCE; rūkāreṇa rūcakī M; ru yin te and ru tsa kī Tib

³⁵² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ rukāreṇa] BpcCE (ru yin te Tib); rukāreṇa ḥā Bac; rūkāreṇa M ◆ rucakamālinī] em.; rucakāmālī B; rucakāmālinī CE; rūcakāmāriṇī M; ru tsa ka ma lī Tib ◆ nāma] B (zhes bya Tib); nāmaḥ CEM

³⁵³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ kaṅkālinī] CM (keng rus ma Tib); kālinī B; kamkāro E

/ byang gi phyogs su ru yin te // mkha' 'gro ma ni ru tsa kī /
 / nub kyi phyogs su ru yin te // ru tsa ka ma lī zhes bya //³⁵⁴
 / lho yi phyogs su ka yin te /³⁵⁵/ keng rus ma zhes grags pa yin /

(7) [The one] named Helikā is on the east spoke by means of the letter *he*. (8) The dākinī named Rucakī is on the north [spoke] by means of the letter *ru*. (9) [The one] named Rucakamālinī is on the west [spoke] by means of the letter *ru*. (10) [The one] named Kaṅkālinī is on the south [spoke] by means of the letter *kam*.

āgneyyāṁ hūmkāriṇī nāma /³⁵⁶ nairṛtyāṁ phaṭkāriṇī nāma /³⁵⁷ vāyavyāṁ dāmarī nāma /³⁵⁸ aiśānyāṁ kilikilā nāma /22/³⁵⁹

/ me yi phyogs su hūṁ mdzad ma // bden bral phyogs su phaṭ mdzad ma //
 / rlung gi phyogs su ḍa ma ri // dbang ldan ki li ki la ste /³⁶⁰

(11) [The one] named Hūmkāriṇī is on the southeast [spoke]. (12) [The one] named Phaṭkāriṇī is on the southwest [spoke]. (13) [The one] named Dāmarī is on the northwest [spoke]. (14) [The one] named Kilikilā is on the northeast [spoke].

etā aṣṭau mahādevyah • sarvasiddhipradāyikāḥ /³⁶¹
 yathā vakteṣu rūpāṇi • tathā āsāṁ bhavanti hi //23//³⁶²

/ de brgyad lha mo chen mo ste // dngos grub thams cad rab tu stsol //
 / ji ltar zhal dang gzugs bzhin du // de bzhin 'dir yang 'gyur ba yin /

These eight great goddesses provide all accomplishments. The colors of their faces are the

³⁵⁴ ru tsa ka ma lī] D; ru tsa ka ma li P

³⁵⁵ lho yi] D; lho'i P

³⁵⁶ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦āgneyyāṁ] em. (me yi phyogs su Tib); agneryā B; agneyā C; agneye E; agneryyāṁ M♦hūmkāriṇī] CM (hūṁ mdzad ma Tib); hūmkālinī B; hūmkārāṇī E

³⁵⁷ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦nairṛtyāṁ] corr. (bden bral phyogs su Tib); naiṛtyāṁ BCE; naiṛtyā M♦phaṭkāriṇī] CEM (phaṭ mdzad ma Tib); kāriṇī Bac; yāmkāriṇī Bpc

³⁵⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦vāyavyāṁ] BCM (rlung gi phyogs su Tib); vāyuvyāṁ E ♦dāmarī] em. (ḍa ma ri Tib); trāmarī B; dāminī CE; dākinī M; cf. ḍa ma ri Tib; cf. dāmarī *Abhidhānottara* (52.48)

³⁵⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦aiśānyāṁ] em. (dbang ldan Tib); ipṛ Bac; iśānyāṁ Bpc; iśānyāṁ CEM ♦kilikilā] M (ki li ki la Tib); kilikilikā B; kiliki CE; cf. kilikilā *Abhidhānottara* (52.48)

³⁶⁰ ste] D; te P

³⁶¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -devyah] em. (lha mo Tib); devyāḥ BCEM ♦ -pradāyikāḥ] em. (rab tu stsol Tib); pradāyikā BpcCEM; pradāyakā Bac

³⁶² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦rūpāṇi] C (gzugs Tib); rupāṇi BEM♦āsāṁ] em. ('dir Tib); eṣāṁ BCEM

same as [the Lord's] (viz., dark-bluish white).

kapālakhaṭvāṅgadharā • ghanṭādamarukartṛkāḥ /³⁶³
trinetrā muktakeśīś ca • digvāsālīḍhasamsthitāḥ //24//³⁶⁴

/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ 'dzin // dril bu cang te'u gri gug dang //
/ spyan gsum pa la skra grol ba // phyogs kyi gos can g-yas brkyang bzhugs /³⁶⁵

He should meditate (see 52.25e) [on the eight goddesses, each] holding a skull bowl and a skull staff [with one of the four hands], [holding] a bell, a drum, and a knife [with the other three hands], [having] three eyes, [with] hair untied, naked, standing in the ālīḍha posture,

kapālamālinīś caiva • pañcamudrāvibhūṣitāḥ /³⁶⁶
sarvābharaṇasamchannā • raudrogrā bhīmabhīṣanāḥ /³⁶⁷
śavopari sthitā dhyāyāt • trinetrā rāgavihvalāḥ //25//³⁶⁸

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i rgyan can te // phyag rgya lnga yis rnam par brgyan //
/ rgyan rnams thams cad yang dag ldan // drag cing gtum la rab 'jigs par /³⁶⁹
/ thams cad ro yi steng bzhugs bsgom /³⁷⁰/ spyan gsum pa la chags par myos //

wearing a wreath of skulls [as a diadem], ornamented with the five mudrās, clad in every [kind of good] ornament, violent and furious, frightening the frightful, standing on a corpse, [having] three eyes, and trembling with lust.

īśānakone nīloḍbhavā nāma /³⁷¹ vāyavye jālottamā nāma /³⁷² nairṛtye lambodarī

363 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -kartṛkāḥ] em. (gri gug Tib); kartikā BCEM

364 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -keśīś] em. (skra Tib); ke / sī B; keśī CEM ◆ digvāsā-] BacCEM (phyogs kyi gos can Tib); digvāmā Bpc ◆ -samsthitāḥ] em. (bzhugs Tib); padasamsthitaṁ B; samsthitā CEM

365 g-yas brkyang] D; g-yas rkyang P

366 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ -mālinīś] em. (phreng ba'i rgyan can Tib); mālinī BCEM ◆ -vibhūṣitāḥ] BEM (rnam par brgyan Tib); vibhūṣitā C

367 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ raudrogrā] B (drag cing gtum Tib); raudrogā C; raudrā E; raudrāgrā M ◆ bhīma-] CEM; bhima B; n.e. Tib ◆ -bhīṣanāḥ] em. (rab 'jigs par Tib); bhīṣanā BC; bhīṣanī EM

368 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ śavopari] M; sarvvopari B; savopari C; savopari E; thams cad ro yi steng Tib ◆ -netrā] CE (spyan Tib); netrāṁ BM ◆ rāgavihvalāḥ] em. (chags par myos Tib); rāgavihvalā B; lolupāṁ C; loluyāṁ E; loluyāṁ M

369 rab 'jigs par] D; rab 'jigs pa P

370 bsgom] D; sgom P

371 The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ◆ īśāna-] CM (dbang ldan Tib); īśāṇa B; īśāna E ◆ -kone] BC (zur la Tib); konā EM ◆ nīloḍbhavā] CEM; nīlād devā B; u tpal sngon po Tib; cf. nīloḍbhavā Sādhananidhi (8.26)

nāma /³⁷³ āgneyyām śambarī nāma /26/³⁷⁴

/ dbang ldan zur la u tpal sngon po zhes bya ba /³⁷⁵
 / rlung gi phyogs la dra ba'i mchog ces bya ba ste /³⁷⁶
 / bden bral phyogs la gsus pa 'phyang ma zhes bya ba /³⁷⁷
 / me yi phyogs la sha ba ri zhes bya ba ste //

(15) [The one] named Nīlodbhavā is at the northeast corner. (16) [The one] named Jālottamā is at the northwest. (17) [The one] named Lambodarī is at the southwest. (18) [The one] named Śambarī is at the southeast.

pītā śyāmā ca nīlā ca • raktāruṇā caturthikā /³⁷⁸
 kapālakhatvāṅgadharā • kartṛkāḍamarukā parā^e //27//³⁷⁹

/ ser dang sngo bsangs sngo ba dang // dmar ser dang ni bzhi pa ste /
 / thod pa dang ni kha ṭwām 'dzin / gri gug cang te'u mchog yin te //

[Nīlodbhavā is] yellow [in color]; [Jālottamā,] gray; [Lambodarī,] dark blue; and the fourth (viz., Śambarī), reddish tawny. [Each one] holds a skull bowl and a skull staff [with one of the four hands], [carries] a knife and a drum [with another two hands], is excellent,

caturthe vajraśūlam ca • digvāsā madanotsukā /³⁸⁰
 lambodarī karālī ca • dīrghayonyā tu sthūlikā //28//³⁸¹

/ bzhi pa rdo rje mdung yin no // phyogs kyi gos can chags pas rol /³⁸²

³⁷² The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ vāyavye] B (rlung gi phyogs la Tib); vāyavyām CE; vāyavya M

³⁷³ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ This line is omitted in B. ♦ nairṛtye] corr. (bden bral phyogs la Tib); nairṛtyām CE; nairṛtye M ♦ lambodarī] BCM (gsus pa 'phyang ma Tib); lamboda~lī E

³⁷⁴ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ This line is omitted in B. ♦ āgneyyām] em. (me yi phyogs la Tib); agneyyām CE; agneryā M ♦ śambarī] corr.; sambarī (or samvarī) CEM; sha ba ri Tib (which suggests śabari); cf. śambarī Sādhananidhi (8.26)

³⁷⁵ u tpal] D; ud dpal P

³⁷⁶ dra ba'i] P; du ba'i D

³⁷⁷ phyogs la] D; phyogs su P

³⁷⁸ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ śyāmā] corr. (sngo bsangs Tib); syāmā BCEM ♦ nīlā] BCE (sngo ba Tib); nī~rā M ♦ raktāruṇā] em. (dmar ser Tib); raktāruṇā BCEM

³⁷⁹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -ḍamarukā] CEM (cang te'u Tib); ḍāmarukā B ♦ parā] M (mchog Tib); parāḥ B; dharā CE

³⁸⁰ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ -śūlam] BEM (mdung Tib); śūram C ♦ -tsukā] BpcCE (rol Tib); tsukāḥ Bac; tsukām M

³⁸¹ The leaf that contains this line is missing in I. ♦ bzang mo add. Tib ♦ lambodarī] BC (lto ba 'phyang ma Tib); lamboda~lī E; rambodalī M ♦ karālī] BCEM; bzang mo Tib ♦ -yonyā] B (skye gnas Tib); yonyāś CE; yonyāś M ♦ tu] CE; ca BM ♦ sthūlikā] BC (rgya yang che Tib); sthulikā EM

/ bzang mo lto ba 'phyang ma ste // skye gnas ring la rgya yang che //

[has] a vajra spear in the fourth [hand], is naked, is pining with love, has a big belly, has [her] mouth open, has a big vulva, is big,

trinetrā vikṛtā ghorā • muktakesā bhayānakā /³⁸³
kapālamālāmakuṭā • sarvālamkāramanḍitā //29//³⁸⁴

/ spyan gsum rnam par 'gyur zhing drag // skra grol ba la rab tu 'jigs /
/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // rgyan rnams thams cad kyis spud pa'o //

[has] three eyes, is ugly, is dreadful, [has her] hair untied, is terrifying, [wears] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, and is decorated with every [kind of good] ornament,

pūrvadvāre vakāreṇa • varālogrā nāma dākinī^e /³⁸⁵
ramkāreṇa dakṣiṇe^o • ramakogrā tu dākinī //30//³⁸⁶
paścimadvāre yonyasya svābhajālottamā nāma dākinī /³⁸⁷ uttaradvāre hāravijayo-
ttamā nāma dākinī /31/³⁸⁸

shar sgor vam las gtum ma zhes bya ba'i mkha' 'gro ma dang / lho'i sgor ram las rol gtum
mo zhes bya ba'i mkha' 'gro ma dang /³⁸⁹ nub kyi sgor sa las 'bar ba'i mchog ces bya ba'i mkha'
'gro ma dgod do // byang gi sgor ha las phreng ba rnam par rgyal ba'i mchog ces bya ba'i mkha'
'gro ma ste /

(19) The dākinī named Varālogrā is at the east gate by means of the letter *va*. (20) The dākinī Ramakogrā is at the south [gate] by means of the letter *ram*. (21) The dākinī named Svābhajālottamā is at the west gate of the maṇḍala (*yonya*). (22) The dākinī named

³⁸² chags pas] D; chags pa P

³⁸³ Leaves that contain passages from the opening line (53.1) to "trine" of this verse (the first two letters of 52.29a) are missing in I. ◆ ghorā] ICEM (drag Tib); ghaurā B◆ mukta-] ICEM (grol ba Tib); makuṭā B◆ -bhayānakā] IBCM (rab tu 'jigs Tib); bhayānaki E

³⁸⁴ -makuṭā] IB (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukuṭā CM; muktakesā E◆ -laṁkāra-] ICEM (rgyan rnams Tib); laṁkāla B

³⁸⁵ pūrvā-] BCEM (shar Tib); pūrvvā I ◆ vakāreṇa] CEM; om. IB; vam las Tib ◆ varālogrā] em.; kapālogrā I; kapārogrā B; vacarālogrā C; vārālo E; vavarālogrā M; gtum ma Tib. cf. varālogrā *Sādhananidhi* (8.31), which is also conjectural.

³⁸⁶ ramkāreṇa] em.; rakāreṇa IBCEM; cf. ram las Tib. The twentieth letter of the heart Mantra is not ra but ram. ◆ ramakogrā tu] CEM (rol gtum mo Tib); makrogrā tu I; makrogrānta B◆ dākinī] IEM (mkha' 'gro ma Tib); abhinī B; dādākinī C

³⁸⁷ -dvāre] IB (sgor Tib); dvāra CEM◆ yonyasya] IB; yonyasye CE; dgod Tib◆ -jālo-] IB; jvalo CEM; 'bar ba'i Tib; cf. -jālo- *Sādhananidhi* (8.31)◆ nāma] CEM (ces bya ba'i Tib); nāmā IB

³⁸⁸ uttara-] IBM (byang gi Tib); uttare CE◆ nāma] BCEM (ces bya ba'i Tib); nāmā I

³⁸⁹ gtum mo] D; bhum mo P

Hāravijayottamā is at the north gate.

nīlā sitāruṇā caiva • aṅkuśaḍamarudhāriṇī³⁹⁰
kapālakhaṭvāṅgadharā • kartṛkā muṇḍatarjanī //32//

/ sngo dang dkar ser nyid yin te // lcags kyu dang ni cang te'u 'dzin /
/ thod pa kha ṭwāṁ ga bsnams te // gri gug mgo bo sdigs mdzub dang //³⁹¹

[Varālogrā has three faces, which are] dark blue, white, and tawny [in color, respectively], holds a hook and a drum, holds a skull bow and a skull staff, [has] a knife, and [carries] a hairless head [with the hand showing] the threatening fingure gesture.³⁹²

sitanīlaharitā^o • pāśaḍamarudhāriṇī³⁹³
kapālakhaṭvāṅgakarā • tarjanīkartṛmuṇḍakā //33//³⁹⁴

/ dkar dang sngo dang ljang pa dang // zhags pa dang ni cang te'u 'dzin /
/ thod pa kha ṭwāṁ ga 'dzin cing // sdigs mdzub gri gug mgo bo 'dzin //³⁹⁵

[Ramakogrā has three faces, which are] white, dark blue, and green [in color, respectively], holds a noose and a drum, has a skull bowl and a skull staff, and [holds] the threatening finger gesture, a knife, and a hairless head.³⁹⁶

raktā nīlā haritā^o • sphoṭam̄ ḍamarukartṛkā³⁹⁷
kapālakhaṭvāṅgadharā • muṇḍatarjanīkā parā^u //34//

/ dmar dang sngo dang ljang gu ste /³⁹⁸ lcags sgrog cang te'u gri gug dang /

³⁹⁰ nīlā] CE (sngo Tib); nīla IBM ◆ -ruṇā] CM (ser Tib); ruṇām̄ IB; rūṇā E

³⁹¹ sdigs mdzub] D; sdig 'dzub P

³⁹² According to the *Sādhananidhi* (8.32), she holds a skull bowl and a skull staff with the two left hands and a hairless head with the other left hand showing the treatening finger gesture and carries a hook, a knife, and a drum with the three right hands.

³⁹³ pāśa-] BCEM (zhags pa Tib); pāsa I ◆ -ḍamaru-] IBCM (cang te'u Tib); ḍamarū E ◆ -dhāriṇī] Bpc-CEM ('dzin Tib); dhāraṇī Bac

³⁹⁴ -karā] IBpcCE ('dzin cing Tib); dharā BacM ◆ tarjanīkartṛmuṇḍakā] IB (sdigs mdzub gri gug mgo bo 'dzin Tib); tarjanīmuṇḍakarttikā CE; tarjanīmuṇḍakarttikā M; cf. kartṛmuṇḍatarjanī *Sādhananidhi* (8.33)

³⁹⁵ sdigs mdzub] D; sdig 'dzub P

³⁹⁶ According to the *Sādhananidhi* (8.33), she holds a hook (which is not mentioned in the *Abhidhānottara*), a rope, and a drum with the three right hands, and carries a skull bowl and a skull staff, a knife, and a hairless head with the three left hands. She shows the threatening finger gesture with the left hand holding a hairless head.

³⁹⁷ raktā] IBEM (dmar Tib); rakta C ◆ nīlā] em. (sngo Tib); nīla IBCEM ◆ -kartṛkā] IBCE (gri gug Tib); karttika M

/ thod pa kha ṭwām ga 'dzin cing // mgo bo dang ni sdigs mdzub mchog //³⁹⁹

[Svābhajālottamā has three faces, which are] red, dark blue, and green [in color, respectively], [holds] a chain, [holds] a drum and a knife, holds a skull bowl and a skull staff, [has] a hairless head [with the hand showing] the threatening finger gesture, and is excellent.

haritacchāyā sitamiśrā^u • pītaraktānanā parā /⁴⁰⁰
 āveśāḍamarukartṛkhaṭvāṅga^e-•-kapālamuṇḍatarjanīkarā^e //35//⁴⁰¹

/ ljang dang dkar po 'dres pa dang // ser dang dmar ba'i zhal mchog yin /
 / dril bu cang te'u gri gug dang // kha ṭwām ga dang thod pa dang /
 / mgo bo dang ni sdigs mdzub phyag //⁴⁰²

[Hārvijayottamā has three] faces, [which are] green in color mixed with white (viz., whitish green), yellow, and red, [respectively], is excellent, and holds a bell, a drum, a knife, a skull staff, a skull bowl, and a hairless head and the threatening finger gesture.⁴⁰³

muktakēśā mahāraudrās • trinetrā vikṛtānanāḥ /⁴⁰⁴
 vyāvṛtāsyā lalajjihvā • ālīḍhapadasaṁsthitāḥ //36//⁴⁰⁵

/ skra grol ba la gdug pa che // spyan gsum rnam par 'gyur ba'i zhal /
 / zhal gdangs ljags ni skyod pa ste // g-yas brkyang g-yon brkyang tshul gyis bzhugs //

All (see 52.38a) [four ḍākinīs each have their] hair untied, are very violent, [have] three eyes [on each face], [have] ugly faces, [have their] mouth open, are lolling [their] tongue, stand in the ālīḍha posture,

kapālamālāmakuṭā • digambaradharāḥ parāḥ /⁴⁰⁶
 śavapadmasūryamadhyasthā^e • muṇḍamālāvibhūṣitāḥ //37//⁴⁰⁷

398 ljang gu] D; ljang khu P

399 sdigs mdzub] D; sdig 'dzub P

400 -miśrā] CEM; misrā IB

401 āveśā-] CEM (dril bu Tib); āveśāṁ IB ◆ -ḍamaru-] em. (cang te'u Tib); ḍamarukāṁ IBCEM

402 sdigs mdzub] D; sdig 'dzub P

403 She shows the threatening finger gesture with the hand holding a hairless head.

404 -raudrās] em. (gdug pa Tib); raudrā IBCEM◆ -nanāḥ] em. (zhal Tib); nanā IBCEM

405 vyāvṛtā-] IBCEpcM (gdangs Tib); vyāghra Eac◆ lalaj-] C (skyod pa Tib); lala IBEM◆ ālīḍhapada-] em.; ālīḍhālīḍha IBCM; ālīḍhāpada E; g-yas brkyang g-yon brkyang tshul gyis Tib ◆ -saṁsthitāḥ] em. (bjhugs Tib); saṁsthitā IBCEM

406 -makuṭā] IB (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukutā CEM◆ -dharāḥ] em. ('dzin pa Tib); dharā IBCEM◆ parāḥ] em. (mchog Tib); tathā IBpcM; tarā Bac; parā CE

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // phyogs kyi gos mchog 'dzin pa ste /
 / ro dang pa dma'i nyi dbus bzhugs /⁴⁰⁸/ mgo bo'i phreng bas rnam par brgyan //

[wear] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, are naked, are excellent, stand at the center of a sun [disk] on a lotus [placed] on a corpse, are ornamented with a wreath of hairless heads,

pañcamudrādhārāḥ sarvā • muṇḍasragdāmamaṇḍitāḥ /⁴⁰⁹
 akṣobhyabuddhamakutāḥ • kaṭākṣekṣaṇacañcalāḥ //38//⁴¹⁰

/ thams cad phyag rgya lṅga 'chang zhing // mgo bo'i do shal rnams kyis brgyan /⁴¹¹
 / mi bskyod pa yi cod pan 'chang /⁴¹²/ rnam sgyur spyan ni g-yo ba ste //

carry the five mudrās, are decorated with a garland of hairless heads [as a necklace], [wear] a diadem [on which an image of] Akṣobhya Buddha [is fixed], and cast an amorous glance and are restless.

dvāvīṁśatyaṅśarotpatti • hṛdayam bhāvanottamam /⁴¹³
 sarveśāṁ eva mantrāṇāṁ • dvāvīṁśatyaṅśarottamam //39//⁴¹⁴

/ yi ge nyi shu gnyis las byung // snying gar mchog ni bsgom par bya /⁴¹⁵
 / 'di ni gsang sngags thams cad kyi // yi ge nyi shu rtsa gnyis mchog //

The heart [mantra] produced from the twenty-two letters [constitutes] the uppermost visualization. The twenty-two-syllable [mantra] is the uppermost even among all mantras.

om śrīvajra-he-he-ru-ru-kam̄ hūm̄ hūm̄ phaṭ dākinījālasaṁvaraṁ svāhā /40/⁴¹⁶

⁴⁰⁷ śava-] CM (ro Tib); sarvva IB; śavā E◆-padma-] IBCM (pa dma'i Tib); padmā E◆-sūrya-] IBCM (nyi Tib); śūryyam arya E◆-madhya-] IBCM (dbus Tib); madhye E◆-vibhūṣitāḥ] em. (rnam par brgyan Tib); vibhūṣitā IBCEM

⁴⁰⁸ pa dma'i] D; pad ma'i P

⁴⁰⁹ -dharāḥ] IBM ('chang zhing Tib); dharā CE◆-sragdāma-] IB (do shal rnams Tib); śragdāma CE; sragdā M

⁴¹⁰ -buddha-] IBCM; varddha E; n.e. Tib ◆-makuṭāḥ] em. (cod pan 'chang Tib); makuṭā IB; mukutā CEM ◆-kaṭākṣekṣaṇā-] IBpc; kṣekṣaṇā Bac; kaṭākṣaṇā C; kaṭākṣeṇā E; kaṭākṣeṇā ca M; rnam sgyur spyan Tib◆-cañcalāḥ] IM (g-yo ba Tib); cañca~rāḥ B; cañcalā C; cañcarā E

⁴¹¹ mgo bo'i] P mgo bo' D

⁴¹² mi bskyod pa] D; mi skyod pa P◆'chang] D; 'ching P

⁴¹³ dvāvīṁśatya-] CM (nyi shu gnyis Tib); dvāvīṁśatya E◆-tpatti] CEM (las byung Tib); tpati I; tparti B◆-ttamam] ICEM (mchog Tib); rttaṁam B

⁴¹⁴ sarveśāṁ] IBEM (thams cad kyi Tib); sarveśāmm C◆eva] BCEM; 'di Tib ◆-mantrāṇāṁ] BCEM (gsang sngags Tib); matrāṇāṁ I◆dvāvīṁśatya-] CEM (nyi shu rtsa gnyis Tib); dvāvīṁśatya IB◆-ttamam] CE (mchog Tib); ttamām IB; ttamām M

⁴¹⁵ snying gar] D; snying khar P

om shrī ba dzra he he ru ru kam̄ hūm dā ki nī dzā la sam̄ ba ra hūm phaṭ swā hā /

Om, glorious adamantine He he ru ru kam̄, *hūm hūm phaṭ*, the supreme bliss of the network of dākinīs, *svāhā*.

ekaikam akṣaram nyasya • dākinīhṛdaye tathā /⁴¹⁷
 hūm-śrī devadevyā tu° • kāyavākcittayogataḥ //41//⁴¹⁸
 madhye viśuddhiṁ bhagavān • bhāvayec ca vibhāvanāt //42//⁴¹⁹

/ yi ge re re dgod pa ste // mkha' 'gro ma yi snying de bzhin /
 / hūm shrī lha dang lha mo ste // sku gsung thugs kyi sbyor ba'o //
 / dbus su rnam dag bcom ldan 'das // sgom zhing rnam par bsgom par bya /⁴²⁰

Likewise, having placed every letter in the heart[s] of the dākinīs — *hūm* and *śrī* for the god and the goddess —,⁴²¹ and after the yoga of body, word, and mind,⁴²² (1) he should contemplate the purity of the Lord at the center through clear contemplation.

aṣṭau vimokṣā mukhāni —⁴²³ nānārūpam paśyati śūnyam /⁴²⁴ adhyātmārūpasamjñī bahirdhārūpam paśyati śūnyam /⁴²⁵ śubhāsubhadṛṣṭikṛtam paśyati śūnyam /⁴²⁶ ākāśānāntyāyatanaṁ paśyati śūnyam /⁴²⁷ vijñānānāntyāyatanaṁ paśyati

⁴¹⁶ -vajra-] CEM (ba dzra Tib); *om*. IB ◆ -ru-ru-] IBEM (ru ru Tib); ru C ◆ -kam̄] IB (kam̄ Tib); ka CEM ◆ hūm hūm phaṭ dākinījālasamvaraṁ] em.; dākinījālasamvaraṁ hūm hūm phaṭ IBC; dākinījālasamvara hūm hūm phaṭ E; dākinījālasamvara hūm hūm phaṭ M; hūm dā ki nī dzā la sam̄ ba ra hūm phaṭ Tib; cf. hūm hūm phaṭ dākinījālasamvaraṁ *Sādhananidhi* (8.39).

⁴¹⁷ -hṛdaye] ICM (snnying Tib); hryes B; hṛdayet E

⁴¹⁸ hūm] em. (hūm Tib); *om* IBCEM. See also the first verse of this chapter, which says that the Lord is originated from the letter hūm ◆ deva-] IBE (lha Tib); devya C; vajradeva M

⁴¹⁹ madhye] ICEM (dbus su Tib); madhya B ◆ viśuddhiṁ] em. (rnam dag Tib); viśuddhi IBM; viśuddhir CE ◆ bhagavān (*m.c.* for bhagavato)] IBCEM (bcom ldan 'das Tib) ◆ vibhāvanāt] ICEM (sgom zhing Tib); vibhāvanā B

⁴²⁰ sgom zhing] D; bsgom zhing P◆bsgom par] D; sgom par P

⁴²¹ I interpret that a practitioner visualizes each of the twenty-two letters constituting the heart mantra in the heart of each of the twenty-two deities, respectively. For example, the letter *hūm* is in the heart of the Lord Heruka, and the letter *śrī* is in the heart of Vārāhī.

⁴²² According to the *Vṛtti*, a practitioner visualizes the body circle of the triple wheel in the forehead, the word circle in the throat, and the mind circle in the heart, meditates on emanation and absorption of the triple wheel, and then recites the heart mantra of the twenty-two deities (D 217r4).

⁴²³ Suratapāda's *Vajrapradīpa* (Skt ed., p. 202, l. 9-p. 203, l. 5) gives a different version of the teaching of the Lord's eight faces representing the Eight Liberations. ◆ aṣṭau vimokṣā mukhāni] em.; aṣṭau vimokṣamukhā IBCEM; rnam par thar brgyad sgo Tib

⁴²⁴ nānārūpam] IBpcCEM (sna tshogs gzugs su Tib); nāma Bac; cf. rūpī rūpāṇi *Dharmasamgraha* (59) and *Abhidharmakośabhbāṣya* (8.32a)

⁴²⁵ adhyātmārūpasamjñī] em.; adhyātma IBCEM; nang gzugs med par Tib; cf. adhyātmārūpasamjñī *Dharmasamgraha* (59) and *Abhidharmakośabhbāṣya* (8.32a) ◆ bahirdhā-] IBCE (phyi rol Tib); bahiddhā M ◆ śūnyam] IBCE (stong pa Tib); śūnyām M

śūnyam /⁴²⁸ ākimcanyāyatanaṁ paśyati śūnyam /⁴²⁹ naivasamjñānāsamjñāyatanaṁ
paśyati śūnyam /⁴³⁰ samjñāvedayitanirodham paśyati śūnyam /⁴³¹

/ rnam par thar brgyad sgo sna tshogs /⁴³²/ gzugs su lta ba stong pa ste //

nang gzugs med par phyi rol gzugs su blta ba'ang stong pa yin /⁴³³ sdug dang mi sdug
mthong bar byed pa blta ba'ang stong pa yin / nam mkha' mtha' yas skye mched dag tu blta
ba'ang stong pa ste /⁴³⁴ rnam shes mtha' yas skye mched dag tu blta ba'ang stong pa yin /⁴³⁵ ci
yang med pa'i skye mched dag tu blta ba'ang stong pa yin /⁴³⁶ 'du shes med cing 'du shes med
min skye mched rnams kyang stong pa'o // 'du shes dang ni tshor ba'ang 'gog par lta ba stong pa
yin /

[The Lord's eight] faces are the Eight Liberations — (1-1) [Perceiving forms internally,] one perceives various form[s] as empty; (1-2) not perceiving forms internally, one perceives external form[s] as empty; (1-3) one perceives [forms, which are] formed by the view [whether they are] beautiful or not beautiful as empty; (1-4) one perceives the limitless sphere of space as empty; (1-5) one perceives the limitless sphere of consciousness as empty; (1-6) one perceives the sphere of nothingness as empty; (1-7) one perceives neither perception nor nonperception as empty; and (1-8) one perceives the cessation of perception and sensation as empty.

bhujāḥ ṣoḍaśā śūnyatāḥ —⁴³⁷ adhyātmaśūnyatā /⁴³⁸ bahirdhāśūnyatā /⁴³⁹
adhyātmabahirdhāśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁰ śūnyatāśūnyatā /⁴⁴¹ mahāśūnyatā / paramārtha-

426 śubhāśubha-] BCEM (sdug dang mi sdug Tib); śubhā.... I ♦ -kṛtam] CEM; kṛm IB; blta ba Tib ♦ śūnyam] IBM (stong pa Tib); śūnyam CE

427 ākāśā-] CEM (nam mkha' Tib); ākāśā IB ♦ -nantyā-] IBCM (mtha' yas Tib); nuntyā E ♦ -yatanam] CEpcM (skye mched Tib); yannam IB; yanam Eac

428 -nantyā-] CEM (mtha' yas Tib); natyā IB ♦ -yatanam] CEM (skye mched Tib); yannam IB

429 ākimcanyā-] CEM (ci yang med pa'i Tib); ākiñcinyā IB ♦ -yatanam] CE (skye mched Tib); yannam IB; tanaṁ M♦paśyati] BCEM (blta ba Tib); paśya.. I♦śūnyam] BCEM (stong pa Tib); I

430 naiva-] BCM (med Tib); I; naivam E♦(naiva)samjñā-] BCEM ('du shes Tib); I♦-nāsamjñā-] CEM ('du shes med min Tib); I; nāsamjñānotpā B♦ -yatanam] IpcCEM (skye mched Tib); Iac; yannam B♦paśyati] IBCEM; n.e. Tib

431 -vedayita-] em. (tshor ba Tib); vihita IB; vidita CEM; cf. -vedita- *Abhidharmakośabhāṣya* (8.33a) and -vedayita- *Dharmasamgraha* (59)

432 brgyad] D; rgyad P

433 blta ba] D; lta ba P

434 blta ba] D; lta ba P

435 blta ba] D; lta ba P

436 blta ba] D; lta ba P

437 Suratapāda's *Vajrapradīpa* (Skt ed., p. 203, l. 6-l. 10) gives a slightly different version of the teaching of the Lord's sixteen arms respresenting the Sixteen Emptinesses. ♦ bhujāḥ] em. (phyag Tib); bhuja IBCEM ♦ ṣoḍaśā] CEM (bcu drug pa Tib); ṣoḍaśā IB ♦ -śūnyatāḥ] em. (stong pa Tib); śūnyatā IBCM; śūnyam tā E

438 -śūnyatā] IBCM (stong pa nyid Tib); śūnyam tā E

439 bahirdhā-] CEM (phyi Tib); bahidhā I; bahidhātma B; cf. bahirdhā- *Pañcavimśatisāhasrikā Prajñāpāramitā* (1-1: p. 33), *Dharmasamgraha* (41), and *Madhyamakāvatārakārikā* (6.184b)

śūnyatā /⁴⁴² saṃskṛtaśūnyatā /⁴⁴³ asaṃskṛtaśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁴ atyantaśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁵ anavarāgraśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁶ anavakāraśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁷ prakṛtiśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁸ sarvadharmaśūnyatā /⁴⁴⁹ svalakṣaṇaśūnyatā /⁴⁵⁰ anupalambhaśūnyatā /⁴⁵¹ abhāvaśūnyatā /⁴⁴/⁴⁵²

phyag bcu drug pa'ang stong pa ste / nang stong pa nyid dang / phyi stong pa nyid dang / phyi nang stong pa nyid dang / stong pa nyid stong pa nyid dang / chen po stong pa nyid dang / don dam pa stong pa nyid dang / 'dus byas stong pa nyid dang /⁴⁵³ 'dus ma byas stong pa nyid dang / mtha' las 'das pa stong pa nyid dang / thog ma dang tha ma med pa stong pa nyid dang / dor ba med pa stong pa nyid dang / rang bzhin stong pa nyid dang / chos thams cad stong pa nyid dang / rang gi mtshan nyid stong pa nyid dang / mi dmigs pa stong pa nyid dang / dngos po med pa stong pa nyid dang / ngo bo nyid stong pa nyid de /

[The Lord's sixteen] arms are the Sixteen Emptinesses — (1) Emptiness of the inner, (2) emptiness of the outer, (3) emptiness of the inner and the outer, (4) emptiness of emptiness, (5) emptiness of the great, (6) emptiness of the ultimate, (7) emptiness of the composite, (8) emptiness of the uncomposite, (9) emptiness of [that which is] beyond extremes, (10) emptiness of

⁴⁴⁰ This sentence is omitted in CE. -bahirdhā-] IBpcM (phyi Tib); bahiṣya Bac ◆ For this line, cf. adhyātmabahidhīdhāśūnyatā *Pañcavimśatisāhasrikā Prajñāpāramitā* (1-1: p. 33) and *Dharmasamgraha* (41), and bahirdhādhyātmaśūnyatā and *Madhyamakāvatārakārikā* (6.184d)

⁴⁴¹ This sentence is omitted in IB.

⁴⁴² This sentence is omitted in EM.

⁴⁴³ This sentence is omitted in EM.

⁴⁴⁴ This sentence is omitted in M.

⁴⁴⁵ This sentence is omitted in M.

⁴⁴⁶ This sentence is omitted in M. ◆ Before this line, the words navarāgraśūnyatā is added in Bac. ◆ anavarā-] IBpcCE (tha ma med pa Tib); anarā Bac ◆ For this line, see anavarāgraśūnyatā *Pañcavimśatisāhasrikā Prajñāpāramitā* (1-1; p. 33) and *Dharmasamgraha* (41), and śūnyatānavarāgreti *Madhyamakāvatārakārikā* (6.195c)

⁴⁴⁷ This sentence is omitted in M.

⁴⁴⁸ This sentence is omitted in M.

⁴⁴⁹ This sentence is omitted in M.

⁴⁵⁰ This sentence is omitted in M.

⁴⁵¹ anupalambha-] IBM (mi dmigs pa Tib); anulaṁbha C; anuparambha E; cf. anupalambha- *Pañcavimśatisāhasrikā Prajñāpāramitā* (1-1: p. 33) and *Madhyamakāvatārakārikā* (6.217d), and alakṣaṇa- *Dharmasamgraha* (41)

⁴⁵² abhāvaśūnyatā] em.; abhāvaśūnyatā svabhāvaśūnyatā IB; abhāvaśūnyatā svabhāvaśūnyatā abhāvasvabhāvaśūnyatā CEM; dngos po med pa stong pa nyid dang / ngo bo nyid stong pa nyid de / Tib; cf. abhāvasvabhāvaśūnyatām upādāya bhāvaśūnyatām upādāya abhāvaśūnyatām upādāya svabhāvaśūnyatām upādāya parabhāvaśūnyatām upādāyeti *Pañcavimśatisāhasrikā Prajñāpāramitā* (1-1: p. 33), bhāvaśūnyatā abhāvaśūnyatā svabhāvaśūnyatā abhāvasvabhāvaśūnyatā parabhāvaśūnyatā *Dharmasamgraha* (41), and abhāvaśūnyatā, bhāvaśūnyatā, abhāvaśūnyatā, svabhāvākhyā tu śūnyatā, parabhāvaśūnyatā *Madhyamakāvatārakārikā* (6.218d, 219d, 220d, 221b, and 223b). I consider it the most probable that the original text is abhāvaśūnyatā (as the *Madhyamakāvatārakārikā* suggests [see above]), then the words svabhāvaśūnyatā was interpolated (in I, B, and Tib), and after that the words abhāvasvabhāvaśūnyatā was added wrongly (in C, E, and M). However, there is also a possibility that the original text is abhāvasvabhāvaśūnyatā as the *Pañcavimśatisāhasrikā Prajñāpāramitā* suggests (see above).

⁴⁵³ 'dus byas] D; 'du byas P

[that which has] neither beginning nor end, (11) emptiness of non-abandoning, (12) emptiness of true nature, (13) emptiness of all phenomena, (14) emptiness of individual characteristics, (15) emptiness of the imperceptible, and (16) emptiness of non-entity.

yathā bhagavān tathā vārāhyaṅga ārūpya,⁴⁵⁴ bhagavān śrīheruko vijñānam
vārāhy ākāśam /45/⁴⁵⁵

/ ci ltar bcom ldan 'das bzhin du /⁴⁵⁶ phag mo yang ni de bzhin te /
/ gnyis med gzugs can bcom ldan 'das // he ru ka dpal rnam par shes /
/ phag mo nam mkha' lta bu'o //

(2) Having conceptualized the body limbs of Vārāhī in the same way as the Lord, glorious Heruka the Lord is consciousness, and Vārāhī is the space [element].

caturdevyā viśuddhir bhavati —⁴⁵⁷ praṇavā dākiny arthapratisamvidah /⁴⁵⁸
vaḍavāmukhī dharmapratisamvidah /⁴⁵⁹ jraśogrā dākinī niruktipratisamvidah /⁴⁶⁰
hemābhā dākinī pratibhānapratisamvidah /⁴⁶¹ eṣā madhyadale devyāḥ /46/⁴⁶²

/ lha mo bzhi yi rnam dag pa /⁴⁶³ gsal byed mkha' 'gro ma nyid ni /⁴⁶⁴
/ don rnams so so yang dag rig // rta gdong ma ni gang yin pa //⁴⁶⁵
/ chos rnams so so yang dag rig // rdo rje drag mo mkha' 'gro ma /
/ nges tshig so so yang dag rig // gser mdog can gyi mkha' 'gro ma //
/ spobs pa so so yang dag rig // lha mo de dag 'dab ma'i dbus /

⁴⁵⁴ vārāhyaṅga] CEM; vārāhyeṅge I; vajravārāhyeṅga B; phag mo yang ni Tib ♦ ārūpya] IB; ārupye CM; ārupya E; n.e. Tib

⁴⁵⁵ bhagavān] ICEM; bhagavānta B; gnyis med gzugs can bcom ldan 'das Tib ♦ -heruko] em. (he ru ka Tib); heruka IBCEM ♦ vijñānam] em. (rnam par shes Tib); vijñānam IBCM; vijñānā E ♦ ākāśam] CEM; ākāśam IB; nam mkha' lta bu Tib

⁴⁵⁶ ci ltar] D; ji ltar P

⁴⁵⁷ catur-] IBpcCEM (bzhi Tib); cca Bac ♦ viśuddhir] CEM (rnam dag pa Tib); viśuddhi IB ♦ bhavati] IBpcCEM; bhavavi Bac

⁴⁵⁸ praṇavā] em. (gsal byed Tib); praṇavo IBCEM ♦ -prati-] IB (so so Tib); pratipatti CE; pratisamvittam M ♦ -samvidah] IBCE (yang dag rig Tib); samvidam M

⁴⁵⁹ vaḍavāmukhī] IBE; vaḍavāmukhī M; rta gdong ma ni gang yin pa Tib ♦ -samvidah] em. (yang dag rig Tib); samvida IB; samvidam CEM

⁴⁶⁰ jraśogrā] corr.; jasogrā IBCE; yaśogrā M; rdo rje drag mo Tib ♦ nirukti-] IpcBCM (nges tshig Tib); nirukta Iac; nirūpa E ♦ -samvidah] IB (yang dag rig Tib); samvidam CEM

⁴⁶¹ pratibhāna-] em. (spobs pa Tib); prīti IBCE; prati M; cf. pratibhāna- Dharmasamgraha (51) ♦ -samvidah] IB (yang dag rig Tib); samvidam CE; samvida M

⁴⁶² eṣā] M; eṣām IBCE; de dag Tib ♦ madhya-] IB (dbus Tib); madhye CEM ♦ devyāḥ] IBpcCEM (lha mo Tib); devyā Bac

⁴⁶³ bzhi yi] D; bzhi yis P

⁴⁶⁴ ni] D; de P

⁴⁶⁵ ni gang yin pa] P gang yin pa'o D

The four goddess[es]' purity is [as follows] — (3) The dākinī Praṇavā is of the analytical knowledge of meaning; (4) Vaḍavāmukhī, of the analytical knowledge of nature; (5) the dākinī Jraśogrā, of the analytical knowledge of language; and (6) the dākinī Hemābhā, of the analytical knowledge of eloquence. This is [the purity] of the goddess[es] on the petal[s] of the central [lotus].

catvāri pratiśaraṇāni —⁴⁶⁶ helikā arthapratīṣṭaraṇatā /⁴⁶⁷ rucakī vyañjanapratīṣṭaraṇatā /⁴⁶⁸ rucakamālinī jñānapratīṣṭaraṇatā /⁴⁶⁹ kaṅkālinī vijñānapratīṣṭaraṇatā /⁴⁷⁰ pūrvottarapaścimadakṣiṇe cakrāre /⁴⁷¹

/ rton pa rnam pa bzhi po ni // he li ka ni don la rton pa ste //
 / ru tsa ki ni tshig 'bru rton pa yin // ru tsa ka mai le ni ye shes rton /
 / keng rus ma ni rnam shes rton pa yin // shar dang byang dang nub dang ni //
 / lho phyogs kyi ni 'khor lo la /

The Four Refuges — (7) Helikā is meaning's refugeness; (8) Rucakī, letter's refugeness; (9) Rucakamālinī, knowledge's refugeness; and (10) Kaṅkālinī, recursive awareness's refugeness.⁴⁷² [These are respectively the purities inherent in the goddesses] on the east, north, west, and south spoke[s] of the wheel.

catvāri dharmapadāni —⁴⁷³ hūṃkāry anityāḥ sarvasaṃskārāḥ /⁴⁷⁴ phaṭkāriṇī duḥkhāḥ sarvasaṃskārāḥ /⁴⁷⁵ dāmarī nirātmānah sarvadharmāḥ /⁴⁷⁶ kilikilā śāntanirvāṇasarvadharmāḥ /⁴⁷⁷ āgneya-nairṛtya-vāyavya-aiśānyāś cakraDEVYā

⁴⁶⁶ catvāri] em. (bzhi po Tib); catasraḥ IBCEM◆-śaraṇāni] EM (rton pa Tib); saraṇāni IBC

⁴⁶⁷ -śaraṇatā] corr. (rton pa Tib); saraṇatā I; saraṇāni CEM; cf. -śaraṇatā *Dharmasaṃgraha* (53)

⁴⁶⁸ rucakī] IC (ru tsa ki Tib); rucakī B; rūcakī EM◆vyañjana-] em. (tshig 'bru Tib); anuvyañjana IBC; anuvyañjana M; cf. vyañjana- *Dharmasaṃgraha* (53)◆-śaraṇatā] CEM (rton pa Tib); saraṇatā IB

⁴⁶⁹ rucaka-] IBC (ru tsa ka Tib); rūcakā E; rūcaka M◆jñāna-] ICM (ye shes Tib); vijñāna B; jñānā E◆-śaraṇatā] CEM (rton pa Tib); saraṇatā IB

⁴⁷⁰ kaṅkālinī] IBM (keng rus ma Tib); kaṅkālanī CE◆-śaraṇatā] CEM (rton pa Tib); saraṇatā IB

⁴⁷¹ -ttara-] E (byang Tib); ttare IBCM◆-dakṣiṇe] ICEM (lho phyogs kyi Tib); dakṣiṇai B◆cakrāre] BCM; cakāre I; om. E; 'khor lo la Tib

⁴⁷² According to the general doctrine of the Four Refuges, both the “letter” (*vyañjana*) and “recursive awareness” (*vijñāna*) are not refuges for practitioners. However, they are assigned to the two goddesses (in other words, they have positive meanings) in this system. Why? It may have occurred simply because the authors did not know about that doctrine well. We can also interpret that it is not an error because in esoteric Buddhism both *vyañjana* (letter) and *vijñāna* (consciousness) have significant functions in particular ritual contexts.

⁴⁷³ catvāri] IBCM (bzhi po Tib); catvāro E◆-padāni] em. (mdo Tib); -dānāni IBCEM; cf. padāni *Dharmasaṃgraha* (55)◆dgod add. Tib

⁴⁷⁴ hūṃkāry] corr.; hūṃkārī IBCM; hūṃkāre E; hūṃ Tib◆anityāḥ] em. (mi rtag pa Tib); anityā IBCEM◆sarva-] IBM (thams cad Tib); om. CE◆-saṃskārāḥ] CEM ('du byed Tib); saṃskārīh IB

⁴⁷⁵ phaṭkāriṇī] IBpcM; phaṭkāri nī Bac; phaṭkāraṇī CE; phaṭ Tib◆-saṃskārāḥ] IBC ('du byed Tib); saskārāḥ E; saṃskārāṁh M

⁴⁷⁶ dāmarī] IBCE (da ma ri Tib); dāmarī M◆nirātmānah] IBCE (bdag med pa Tib); rātmānah M

viśuddhiḥ /48/⁴⁷⁸

/ chos kyi mdo ni bzhi po dgod //
 / hūm ni 'du byed thams cad mi rtag pa'o // phaṭ ni 'du byed thams cad sdug bsngal ba'o /
 / ḍa ma ri ni chos thams cad bdag med pa'o // ki li kī la ni chos thams cad zhi ba'o //
 / me dang bden bral rlung dang ni / dbang ldan 'khor lo de dag kun /
 / lha mo yis ni rnam par dag //

The Four Summaries of the Dharma — (11) Hūmkārī is that all composite things are impermanent; (12) Phaṭkāriṇī, that all composite things are afflictions; (13) Dāmarī, that all phenomena are devoid of its own self; and (14) Kilikilā, that Nirvāṇa is that all phenomena have been ceased. [This is] the purity of the goddess[es] of the wheel [residing] at the southeast, southwest, northwest, and northeast [spokes].

catvāri vaiśāradadyāni —⁴⁷⁹ nīlodbhavā sarvadharmaḥoḥavaiśāradadyam /⁴⁸⁰
 jālottamā sarvadharmaḥeṣāvaiśāradadyam /⁴⁸¹ lambodarī nirvāṇamārgāvatāraṇavai-
 śāradadyam /⁴⁸² śambary āsravakṣayajñānavaiśāradadyam /⁴⁸³ koṇeṣu maṇḍale devyāś
 caturasra eṣā viśuddhiḥ /⁴⁹/⁴⁸⁴

mi 'jigs pa bzhi dngos po'i chos thams cad rtogs pa la 'jigs pa med pa ni u tpa la sngon po
 ma'o // chos thams cad ston pa la 'jigs pa med pa ni dran pa'i mchog go // nges par 'byung ba'i
 lam la 'jug pa la 'jigs pa med pa ni gsus pa 'phyang ma'o //⁴⁸⁵ zag pa zad pa shes pa la 'jigs pa

⁴⁷⁷ sāntanirvāṇasarvadharmaḥ (meaning sarvadharmaḥ sāntā nirvāṇam)] IBpcCEM; sāntanirvāṇadharmaḥ Bac; chos thams cad zhi ba Tib; cf. sāntam nirvāṇam Dharmasamgraha (55)

⁴⁷⁸ āgneya-] em. (me Tib); agneya IBCM; agneye E ◆ -nairṛtya-] corr. (bden bral Tib); nairṛtya IBCEM ◆ -vāyavya-] IB (rlung Tib); vāyuvya C; vāyu E; vāyavye M ◆ -aiśānyāś] em. (dbang ldan Tib); aiśānyā IBCEM ◆ cakradevyā viśuddhiḥ] em.; cakraviśuddhyā devyā IBpcCEM; cakraviśuddhyā devyāḥ Bac; 'khor lo de dag kun // lha mo yis ni rnam par dag / Tib; See the last line of the next paragraph, koṇeṣu maṇḍale devyāś catusra eṣā viśuddhiḥ Abhidhānottara (52.48).

⁴⁷⁹ catvāri] C (bzhi Tib); catvāro IM; catvārau B; catvāra E ◆ vaiśāradadyāni] IBpcCEM (mi 'jigs pa Tib); vaiśāradayā Bac

⁴⁸⁰ nīlodbhavā] ICEM; jālobhāmā Bac; nīlo Bpc; u tpa la sngon po ma Tib ◆ -dharmā-] ICEM; dharmām B; dngos po'i chos Tib ◆ -rohaṇa-] IBpcCEM (rtogs pa Tib); om. Bac ◆ -vaiśāradadyam] CEM ('jigs pa med pa Tib); vairadyām I; om. Bac; vaiśāradayām Bpc

⁴⁸¹ This sentence is omitted in E. ◆ jālottamā] IBpc; om. Bac; jvālottamā CM; dran pa'i mchog Tib ◆ sarvadharma-] em. (chos thams cad Tib); sarvvadharmaḥ; om. Bac; sarvadharma BpcCM; sarvvadharmaṁ E ◆ -deśānā-] IBM (ston pa Tib); deśavā C ◆ -vaiśāradadyam] CEM ('jigs pa med pa Tib); vaisāradayām I; vaiśāradayām B

⁴⁸² This sentence is omitted in E. ◆ lambodarī] CM (gsus pa 'phyang ma Tib); lāmbodarī IB ◆ nirvāṇa-] ICM (nges par 'byung ba Tib); niṇa B ◆ -vaiśāradadyam] BCEM ('jigs pa med pa Tib); vaisāradayām I

⁴⁸³ This sentence is omitted in E. ◆ śambary] corr.; vai sā Iac; sambarī (or samvarī) ICEM; vai sambarī (or samvarī) B; sa ba ri ma Tib ◆ āśrava-] E (zag pa Tib); āśrava ICM; āśrava B ◆ -jñāna-] em. (shes pa Tib); jñānaprahāṇa IBCEM ◆ -vaiśāradadyam] BCEM ('jigs pa med pa Tib); vaisāradayām I

⁴⁸⁴ maṇḍale] IBM (dkyil 'khor Tib); maṇḍalā C; maṇḍala E ◆ devyāś] em. (lha mo Tib); devyā IBCEM ◆ catusra] CEM (zur bzhi Tib); catusre IB ◆ viśuddhiḥ] IBCM (rnam par dag Tib); viśuddhi E

med pa ni sa ba ri ma'o //
 / mtshams su dkyil 'khor lha mo ni / 'di yis zur bzhi rnam par dag //

The Four Fearlessnesses — (15) Nīlodbhavā is the fearlessness deriving from knowledge of all phenomena; (16) Jālottamā, the fearlessness in teaching about all phenomena; (17) Lambodarī, the fearlessness in guidance to the path for Nirvāṇa; and (18) Śambarī, the fearlessness deriving from being aware that inner defilements have been destroyed. This is the purity of the goddess[es] at the corners of the square maṇḍala.

dvāreṣu caturo devyāḥ —⁴⁸⁶ varālogrā śraddhendriyam /⁴⁸⁷ ramakogrā vīryendriyam /⁴⁸⁸ svābhajālottamā smṛtīndriyam /⁴⁸⁹ hāravijayottamā samādhīndriyam /50/⁴⁹⁰

sgo bzhi dag tu lha mo ni / gtum byed ma ste dad pa'i dbang po'o // rol gtum ma ni brtson 'grus gyi dbang po'o // 'bar mchog ma ni dran pa'i dbang po'o // rnam par rgyal ba'i mchog ni ting nge 'dzin gyi dbang po'o //

[He should contemplate] four [of the Five Faculties as the purity] of the goddess[es] at the gates — (19) Varālogrā is the faith faculty; (20) Ramakogrā, the effort faculty; (21) Svābhajālottamā, the recollection faculty; and (22) Hāravijayottamā, the concentration faculty.

aśītyanuvyañjano bhagavān śrīherukavajrah /⁴⁹¹ dvātrimśallakṣaṇopetā prajñā bhagavaty āryavārāhī /51/⁴⁹²

/ dpe byad bzang po brgyad cu ni /⁴⁹³ bcom ldan 'das dpal khrag 'thung rdo rje'o //

⁴⁸⁵ gsus pa] D; gsus P

⁴⁸⁶ caturo] IBCE (bzhi Tib); caturā M◆devyāḥ] corr. (lha mo Tib); devyā IBCEM

⁴⁸⁷ varālogrā] em.; karālogrā IC; kalārogrā BE; kapālāgrā M; gtum byed ma Tib ◆śraddhendriyam] CE (dad pa'i dbang po Tib); sarvvendriyam I; vīryendriyam Bac; vīryendriyam Bpc; sarvendriyam M

⁴⁸⁸ This line is omitted in Bac ◆ramakogrā] IBpcCEpcM (rol gtum ma Tib); rama## Eac ◆vīrye-] IM (brtson 'grus gyi Tib); vijya Bpc; vīnptra C; vīnpre E

⁴⁸⁹ svābhajālottamā] IBpc; svābhajā (appearing to be the same as Bpc) Bac; svābhajālottamā CEM; 'bar mchog ma Tib◆smṛtīndriyam] CEM (dran pa'i dbang po Tib); smṛtēndriyam IB

⁴⁹⁰ hāravijayottamā] IBCE; hāravirajayottamā M; rnam par rgyal ba'i mchog Tib ◆samādhī-] CEM (ting nge 'dzin gyi Tib); dhī IB ◆This line is followed by the words ramakogrā vīryendriyam in Bac.

⁴⁹¹ aśīty-] CEM (brgyad cu Tib); asīti IB ◆-anuvyañjano] IB (dpe byad bzang po Tib); anuvyamjanā CM; anuvyañjanā E ◆-heruka-] CEM (khrag 'thung Tib); herukā IB ◆-vajrah] em. (rdo rje Tib); vajra IBCEM

⁴⁹² dvātrimśal-] em. (sum cu rtsa gnyis Tib); dvātriśal IB; dvārimśa CE; dvātrimśa M◆-lakṣaṇopetā] IB; traksanaupetām C; lakṣaṇaupetām E; lakṣaṇopetām M; mtshan rnames Tib ◆prajñā] em. (shes rab Tib); prajñā jñāyā Iac; prajñāyā IpcB; prajñendriyam CEM ◆bhagavaty] IB (bcom ldan ma Tib); bhagavaty ety CE; bhagavaty aty M◆āryavārāhī] IBCEM; rdo rje phag mo nyid Tib

⁴⁹³ cu] D; bcu P

/ sum cu rtsa gnyis mtshan rnams ni /⁴⁹⁴/ 'phags pa shes rab bcom ldan ma /⁴⁹⁵
/ rdo rje phag mo nyid yin no //

The Lord, glorious Herukavajra, [represents] the Eighty Marks. The Lady, holy Vārāhī, is Wisdom having the Thirty-two Features.

abhidhānottarottare dvāvīmśatyakṣarahṛdayotpattibhāvanāpaṭalo dvāpañcāśah
⁴⁹⁶

mngon par brjod pa'i rgyud bla ma'i bla ma las yi ge nyi shu rtsa gnyis kyi snying po
bsgom pas skyed pa'i le'u ste Inga bcu rtsa gnyis pa'o //⁴⁹⁷

The 52nd chapter, [titled] the visualization of emergence of the heart [mantra consisting] of twenty-two letters, in the *Abhidhānottarottara*.

⁴⁹⁴ cu] D; bcu P

⁴⁹⁵ bcom ldan ma] D; bcom ldan 'das P

⁴⁹⁶ abhidhāno-] IBCE (mngon par brjod pa Tib); iti śrī abhidhāno M ♦ dvāvīmśaty-] CEM (nyi shu rtsa gnyis Tib); dvāvīmśaty IB ♦ -akṣara-] IBpcCEM (yi ge Tib); atyura Bac ♦ dvāpañcāśah] em. (Inga bcu rtsa gnyis pa Tib); ekonnapañcāśah I; ekonapañcāśah B; ekonapañcāśah C; ekonapañcāśah E; ekapañcāśattamah M

⁴⁹⁷ nyi shu rtsa gnyis kyi] D; nyi shu rtsa gnyis gyi P♦skyed pa'i] D; bskyed pa'i P

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athānya devyā hṛdayam • vakṣye anuttaram^o /⁴⁹⁸
om vajravairocanīye hūm hūm phaṭ svāhā /1/

/ de nas gzhan yang lha mo yi // snying po bla med bshad par bya /
om ba dzra bai ro tsa nī ye hūm hūm phaṭ swāhā //

Now, I shall explain the goddess's (viz., Vārāhī's) heart [mantra], the unsurpassed: “*Om*, for the sake of Vajravairocanī, *hūm hūm phaṭ, svāhā*.”

devyā hṛdayayogam ca • trayodaśātmakaśobhanam^e /⁴⁹⁹
padmamadhye tu vārāhyā • dale tu devatā nyaset //2//⁵⁰⁰

/ lha mo'i snying po'i sbyor ba ni // bcu gsum pa ni bdag nyid dge /⁵⁰¹
/ pa dma dbus su phag mo ste /⁵⁰²/ 'dab ma la ni lha mo dgod //

[I shall explain] the yoga of the heart [mantra] of the goddess, [which] consists of thirteen [letters] and is brilliant. (1) He should place [the letter] of Vārāhī at the center of a lotus and [eight] deities (viz., eight goddesses) on the [eight] petal[s of the lotus].

dvāradeśeṣu catvāro • devyā hṛdayabhāvanāt /⁵⁰³
prāṇavā vaḍavā caiva • jraginī vairiṇī tathā //3//⁵⁰⁴

/ sgo bzhi dag gi phyogs su ni // lha mo'i snying po rnam par bsgom /
/ om las byung ba'i rta gdong dang // rdo rje snying po gdug pa'i sgra //

The four [letters of the four goddesses] are [located] at the places of the [four] gates⁵⁰⁵ through the visualization of the goddess's heart [mantra]. [They are] (2) Praṇavā (*om*), (3) Vaḍavā (*va*),

⁴⁹⁸ -nya (m.c. for -nyam)] IB (gzhan yang Tib); nyam CEM ◆ devyā] CEM (lha mo yi Tib); devā IBpc; va Bac ◆ vakṣye] IE (bshad par bya Tib); vakṣyai B; vakṣe C; vakṣyety M

⁴⁹⁹ -śobhanam] CM (dge Tib); sobhanam IBE

⁵⁰⁰ padma-] em. (pa dma Tib); sobhanam padma IBE; śobhanam padma CM (The word śobhanam is just a wrong repetition of the previous word śobhanam.)◆devatā] IBCEM; lha mo Tib

⁵⁰¹ dge] D; dag P

⁵⁰² pa dma] D; pad ma P

⁵⁰³ -deśeṣu] CEM (phyogs su Tib); deseṣu IB ◆ hṛdaya-] IBCM (sniny po Tib); hṛdaye E ◆ -bhāvanāt] IBpcCEM (rnam par bsgom Tib); yogam Bac

⁵⁰⁴ praṇavā] IBCE; praṇavo M; om las byung ba'i Tib ◆ vaḍavā] IBCE (rta gdong Tib); vadavā M ◆ jraginī] B; jagnī I; jagnī ḍākinī CEM; rdo rje sniny po Tib; cf. rdo rje ma Vṛtti (D 225r1); jragnir Sādhananidhi (8.79); dzra gi ni Tib of Sādhananidhi (8.79) ◆ vairiṇī] em.; vairaṇī IBCEM; gdug pa'i sgra Tib; cf. vairiṇī Sādhananidhi (8.79)

(4) Jraginī (*jra*), and likewise (5) Vairinī (*vai*).

roṣaṇī capalā caiva • nīhārī yemalā tathā /⁵⁰⁶
 hūṃkārī devatī nāma • hutāśanī phaṭnī tathā^u //4//⁵⁰⁷
 svākārī dvādaśī caiva • hākārī sarvanāyikā /⁵⁰⁸
 vajravārāhīnī nāma • sarvasiddhiḥ prasidhyati //5//⁵⁰⁹

/ drag po yang ni g-yo ma dang // mi 'phrog ma dang dri med ma /
 / hūṃ mdzad ma dang ldan lha mo // bsreg blugs ma dang phaṭ byed ma //⁵¹⁰
 / rang byung ma dang bcu gnyis te /⁵¹¹ ha mdzad g-yas pa'i gtso bo yin /
 / rdo rje phag mo zhes bya ba // dngos grub thams cad stsol mdzad pa //

[On the eight petals are] (6) Roṣaṇī (*ro*), (7) Capalā (*ca*), (8) Nīhārī (*nī*), also (9) Yemalā (*ye*), (10) the goddess named Hūṃkārī (*hūṃ*), (11) Hutāśanī (*hūṃ*), then (12) Phaṭnī (*phaṭ*), and (13) Svākārī, the [goddess of the] twelfth [letter (*svā*)].⁵¹² (1) [The goddess of] the letter *hā* is the mistress of all, Vajravārāhī by name. Every accomplishment is attained.

nīlapītaraktaharitordhvasitānanā trinetrā vikṛtā damṣṭrākarālālīḍhasthā
 kapālamālinī lambodarī muktakesī digambarā /⁵¹³ svābhopāyādvayayogasthitāṁ
 dhyāyāt /⁵¹⁴

⁵⁰⁵ However, the *Vṛtti* comments that the four goddesses (2)-(5) are located on the eight petals of a lotus (presumably the four petals facing towards the four cardinal directions) (D 224v7-225r1).

⁵⁰⁶ capalā] IBCE (g-yo ma Tib); ca parā M◆yemalā] IB; yamalām C; yamalān E; yemalān M; dri med ma Tib

⁵⁰⁷ -kārī] ICEM (mdzad ma Tib); kā~lī B◆hutāśanī] corr. (bsreg blugs ma Tib); hutāśī IB; hutāśanī CE; hutāśinī M◆phaṭnī] IM (phaṭ byed ma Tib); pha~tnī B; tnī CE

⁵⁰⁸ svākārī] IB; svāhārī CE; svāhākārī M; rang byung ma Tib ◆dvādaśī] CEM (bcu gnyis Tib); dvādaśī IB ◆hākārī] em. (ha mdzad Tib); hāhārī IBCEM; cf. hākāreṇa *Sādhananidhi* (8.81)◆sarva-] IBCEM; g-yas pa'i Tib ◆-nāyikā] ICEM (gtso bo Tib); nāyakām (or nāyakī) Bac; nāyikām (or nāyikī) Bpc

⁵⁰⁹ -vārāhīnī (m.c. for -vārāhī)] IBCEM (phag mo Tib) ◆-siddhiḥ prasidhyati] em.; siddhi prasidhyati IBCM; siddhi pradhāsyati E; dngos grub and stsol mdzad pa Tib; cf. -siddhipradāyikā *Sādhananidhi* (8.81)

⁵¹⁰ bsreg blugs ma] P; bsregs blugs ma D

⁵¹¹ rang byung ma] D; rang 'byung ma P

⁵¹² However, the *Vṛtti* says that the four goddesses (10)-(13) are located at the four gates (not on the petals of a lotus): Hūṃkārī is at the east gate; Hutāśanī, at the south gate; Phaṭnī, at the west gate; and Svākārī, at the north gate (D 225r1-r2).

⁵¹³ -haritordhva-] em. (ljang khu steng Tib); harita ūrddha IBCM; harīta ūrddha E◆-tānanā] IpcBCEM (zhal Tib); tānanā Iac ◆-neṭrā] ICEM (spyan Tib); madhā B◆vikṛtā] IBpcM (rnam sgyur Tib); vikṛtā Bac; vika CE ◆damṣṭrā-] C (mche ba Tib); draṣṭrā IB; dramṣṭrā EM ◆-karālā-] IBpcCE (rnam par gtsigs pa Tib); ka Bac; karolā M◆lambodarī] IBCM (gsus pa rlo Tib); lambodalī E

⁵¹⁴ -yādvaya-] IB; yārddhaya C; yārddhapa E; yo dva M; dang Tib ◆-yoga-] BCE (sbyor bas Tib); I; om. M◆-sthitām] B (gnas Tib); I; sthitā CE; samsthitātma M◆dhyāyāt] BCE; ..yāt I; vyāptā M; n.e. Tib

/ sngo dang ser dang dmar pa dang // ljang khu steng zhal dkar po ste /
 / spyan gsum pa la bzhin rnam sgyur /⁵¹⁵/ mche ba rnam par gtsigs pa ste //
 / g-yas brkyang bzhugs shing thod phreng can // gsus pa rlo zhing skra grol ba /⁵¹⁶
 / phyogs kyi gos can 'dzin pa ste // rang gi thabs dang sbiyor bas gnas //

(1) [Vārāhī has five] faces — [four of them] are dark blue, yellow, red, and green [in color] and the upper [face] is white —, [has] three eyes [on each face], is ugly, is showing fangs, stands in the ālīḍha posture, [wears] a wreath of skulls, has a big belly, [has] hair untied, and is naked. He should meditate [on her] residing in the nondual union with Means (viz., her male consort) resembling herself [in appearance].

pādatalākrāntabhairavacāmuṇḍābhayavihvalā /⁵¹⁷ kapālakhaṭvāṅgaśūlakartṛḍa-maruvajraghantāpāśāṅkuśabrahmaśirahparaśutarjanīdharā naracarmapāṭordhvakaṛā /6/⁵¹⁸

/ 'jigs byed tsa mu ḥdi 'jigs myos /⁵¹⁹/ zhabs kyi 'og tu gnon pas bzhugs /
 / thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ ga // mdung dang gri gug cang te'u dang //
 / rdo rje dril bu zhags pa dang // lcags kyu tshangs pa'i mgo bo dang /
 / dgra sta dang ni sdigs mdzub dang /⁵²⁰/ na ra'i pags pa steng du brkyang //⁵²¹

[Vārāhī] places under [her] feet Bhairava and Cāmuṇḍā, [who are] trembling with fear. [Vārāhī] holds a skull bowl and a skull staff, a spear, a knife, a drum, a vajra, a bell, a noose, a hook, Brahman's head, and an axe and the threatening finger gesture [with ten of her twelve hands],⁵²² and holds up a mantle of human skin [with the other two hands].

mekhalānūpurakeyūra^e-•-pañcamudrāvibhūṣitā /⁵²³
 pañcabuddhamukuṭā^o • karuṇā krodhabhīṣaṇā //7//⁵²⁴

⁵¹⁵ rnam sgyur] D; rnames sgyur P

⁵¹⁶ skra] D; sgra P

⁵¹⁷ -krānta-] IB (gnon pas bzhugs Tib); krāntā CEM ◆ bhairava-] IB ('jigs byed Tib); bhairavā CM; bhai~lavā E◆-cāmuṇḍā] CEM (tsa mu ḥdi Tib); cāmuṇḍau IB

⁵¹⁸ -śūla-] CEM (mdung Tib); ..la I; śūla B◆-kartṛṭ-] IBM (gri gug Tib); karttika CE◆-ghāṇṭā-] IBpc- CEM (dril bu Tib); ghāṇṭā Bac ◆ -śirah-] em. (mgo bo Tib); sira I; śīla B; śira CM; śirā E◆ nara-] IBCM (na ra'i Tib); na~la E◆-carma-] IBM (pags pa Tib); carmmā CE◆-rdhvakarā] ICEM (steng du brkyang Tib); rddhakārā B

⁵¹⁹ tsa mu ḥdi] D; tsa muṇ ḥdi P

⁵²⁰ sdigs mdzub] D; sdigs 'dzub P

⁵²¹ na ra'i pags pa] D; nā ra'i lpags pa P

⁵²² I have interpreted that she holds an axe with the hand showing the threatening finger gesture.

⁵²³ mekhalā-] IBCE (ska rags Tib); me kharā M◆-nūpura-] IC; nūpura B; nūpūrā E; nūpūrā M; n.e. Tib ◆-keyūra-] IB (dpung rgyan Tib); keyūrā C; keyurā EM

⁵²⁴ -mukuṭā] IBCM (cod pan can Tib); makutā E

/ ska rags dang ni dpung rgyan dang /⁵²⁵/ phyag rgya lṅga yis rnam par brgyan /
 / sangs rgyas lṅga yi cod pan can /⁵²⁶/ thugs rje khro gnyer 'jigs pa ste //

[Vārāhī] is ornamented with the five mudrās [such as] a girdle, an anklet, and an armlet, [wears] a diadem [on which images of] the Five Buddhas [are fixed], is compassionate, and frightens with anger.

daleṣu devatīḥ sarvā • nyased aṣṭau ca mātaram /⁵²⁷
 pītaharitaraktāś ca • dakṣiṇe nīlavarnikā //8//⁵²⁸
 āgneyādau raktā dhūmrā^u • tathā nīlā sitā īśānato nyaset^e /⁵²⁹

/ 'dab la lha mo thams cad dgod // ma mo dag ni brgyad pa ste /
 / ser dang dmar dang ljang pa dang // lho ni sngo ba'i mdog can te //
 / me phyogs dmar la dud kha ste // sngo ba dang ni dkar ba dang /
 / dbang ldan du ni dgod pa ste /

He should arrange all eight mother goddesses (viz., (6)-(13)) on the [eight] petals. [Three of the four goddesses of the four cardinal directions, viz., (10)-(12), are respectively] yellow, green, and red [in color] and [the goddess] on the south [petal] (viz., (13)) is dark blue in color. [Three of the four goddesses] on [the petals of the four intermediate directions] such as southeast (viz., (6)-(8)) are [respectively] red, gray, and likewise dark blue [in color]. [The goddess] in the northeast (viz., (9)) is white. He should arrange [thus].

trinetrā muktakesā ca • pañcamudrānvitā tathā //9//⁵³⁰
 • ardhaparyāṅkasusthitā /⁵³¹
 kapālair baddhamukutā^u • digvāsā vikṛtānanā //10//⁵³²

/ spyan gsum pa la skra grol ba //

⁵²⁵ ska rags] D; sku rega P

⁵²⁶ cod pan] D; geod pan P

⁵²⁷ devatīḥ] em. (lha mo Tib); devatī IB; devī CEM ♦ mātaram (m.c. for mātīḥ)] EM (ma mo dag Tib); mātarām IBpcC; ##### Bac

⁵²⁸ -raktāś ca] CEM (dmar Tib); raktā IB ♦ -varṇikā] ICE (mdog can Tib); varṇikām B; varṇakā M

⁵²⁹ āgneyādau] em.; agneyā I; agneyām B; agneyādau CE; agneryādau M; me phyogs Tib ♦ raktā] IBM (dmar Tib); rakta CE ♦ dhūmrā] IBcM (dud kha Tib); dhṛūmrā E ♦ nīlā] CEM (sngo ba Tib); nīla IB ♦ sitā] IB (dkar ba Tib); sita CEM ♦ īśānato] em. (dbang ldan du Tib); iśānyato IBpcCE; iśānyāto Bac; īśānyato M♦nyaset] IBCE (dgod pa Tib); neset M

⁵³⁰ ca] IBpcCEM; ce Bac

⁵³¹ ardhaparyāṅka-] CEM (skyil krung phyed pas Tib); arddhaparya IB

⁵³² kapālair baddha-] C; kapālaikavardha IB; kapālai baddha E; kapālair vardha M; thod pa yi Tib ♦ digvāsā] IBpcCEM (phyogs kyi gos can Tib); diga Bac

/ phyag rgya lnga dang yang dag ldan // skyil krung phyed pas legs par bzhugs /⁵³³
 / thod pa yi ni dbu rgyan can // phyogs kyi gos can bzhin rnam sgyur //

Every [one of these eight goddesses, viz., (6)-(13), has] three eyes, [has her] hair untied, is also complete with the five mudrās, stands well in the ardhaparyāṅka posture, [wears] a diadem [on which] skulls are fixed, is naked, and [has] an ugly face.

pretopari sthitā sarvā • karuṇārasavihvalā /⁵³⁴
 vajrollālanaparā° • kapālaraktapūritā //11//⁵³⁵
 ghanṭāḍamarukaśabdena° • devyā samtoṣaṇī tathā /⁵³⁶

/ thams cad yi dags gdan la bzhugs // thugs rje chags pas rnam par myos /⁵³⁷
 / rdo rje'i mchog ni gar mdzad cing // thod pa ra ktas bkang ba dang //⁵³⁸
 / dril bu cang te'u sgra yang sgrogs // lha rnams dga' bar byed pa yin /

Every [goddess, viz., (6)-(13)] is astride a corpse, is trembling with compassionate feeling, is intent on shaking a vajra, [carries] a skull bowl filled with blood, and likewise satisfies the goddess⁵³⁹ with the sound[s] of a bell and a drum [that they hold].

dvāreṣu dvārapālī ca • indrādyopari samsthitā //12//⁵⁴⁰
 ālīḍhapadasamsthānā • trinetrā ūrdhvakeśinī /⁵⁴¹
 kapālamālāmakuṭā • vyālābharaṇabhbūṣitā //13//⁵⁴²

/ sgo rnams su ni sgo srung ste /⁵⁴³ / dbang po'i steng du rnam par bzhugs //
 / g-yas brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis bzhugs // spyan gsum pa la dbu skra brdzes /

⁵³³ skyil krung] D; dkyil dkrung P

⁵³⁴ sthitā] C (bzhugs Tib); sthitāḥ IBEM◆ sarvā] IBCE (thams cad Tib); sarvāḥ M◆ karuṇā-] BCEM (thugs rje Tib);ñā I◆ -vihvalā] IBM (rnam par myos Tib); vihvalāḥ CE

⁵³⁵ vajrollālana-] EM; vajro lālana IB; vajrāllolana C; rdo rje'i Tib◆ kapāla-] CE (thod par Tib); kapālai IBM◆ -pūritā] ICE (gang ba Tib); pū~litāḥ B; pūritāḥ M

⁵³⁶ ghanṭā-] IBCE (dril bu Tib); ghanṭā M◆ -śabdena] IBCEM; sgra yang sgrogs Tib◆ devyā] IBCEM; lha rnams Tib◆ samtoṣaṇī] IBCE (dga' bar byed pa Tib); santoṣaṇā M◆ tathā] IBCEM; n.e. Tib

⁵³⁷ thugs rje] D; thugs rje'i P

⁵³⁸ ra ktas] D; rag tas P

⁵³⁹ The Tibetan translation suggests that they satisfy their consort gods (*lha rnams*).

⁵⁴⁰ -dyopari] BCE; dyopa.. I; dyā pari M; steng du Tib◆ samsthitā] em. (rnam par bzhugs Tib); I; vṛtā B; samsthitāḥ CEM

⁵⁴¹ ālīḍhapada-] CEM (g-yas brkyang ba yi zhabs kyis Tib); I; om. B◆ -samsthānā] CEM (bzhugs Tib); I; om. B◆ trinetrā] BCEM (spyan gsum pa Tib); I◆ ūrdhvā-] BCEM (brdzes Tib); I◆ -keśinī] BCM (dbu skra Tib); I; keśanī E

⁵⁴² kapālamālā] CEM (thod pa'i phreng ba'i Tib); I; jaṭā B◆ -makutā] IBE (dbu rgyan can Tib); om. C; mukutā M◆ vyālā-] M; ..lā I; śilā B; om. C; dyālā E; phreng ba Tib◆ -bharaṇabhbūṣitā] IBEM (rgyan gyis spud pa Tib); om. C

⁵⁴³ ste] D; te P

/ thod pa'i phreng ba'i dbu rgyan can // phreng ba'i rgyan gyis spud pa ste //

At the [four] gates [every] gatekeeper [goddess] (viz., (2)-(5)) is astride Indra and so on,⁵⁴⁴ stands in the ālīḍha posture, [has] three eyes, has [her] hair erect, [wears] a wreath of skulls as a diadem, and is ornamented with an ornament of a snake,

kapālakhaṭvāṅga^o-•-vajramuṇḍadharā karā /⁵⁴⁵
vikṛtā lambodarī sarvā^e • muṇḍamālāvibhūṣitā //14//⁵⁴⁶

/ thod pa dang ni kha ṭwāṁ ga /⁵⁴⁷ / rdo rje mgo bo phyag na bsnams /
/ thams cad rnam sgyur gsus pa 'phyang // thams cad mgo bo'i phreng bas brgyan //

Every [gatekeeper goddess] holds a skull bowl, a skull staff, a vajra, and a hairless head [with] the [four] hand[s], is ugly, has a big belly, and is ornamented with a wreath of hairless heads [as a necklace].

nīlahaṭitasitā pītā^e • caturbhujavirājītā /⁵⁴⁸
nagnā sthūlapadmā ca^o • svakuleśamakuṭā^o • //15//⁵⁴⁹

/ sngo dang ljang dang dkar po ste // ser zhing phyag bzhi mdog gnyis pa /
/ gcer bu pa dma'i rgya yang che /⁵⁵⁰/ rang gi rigs kyi dbu rgyan can //

[The gatekeeper goddesses are respectively] dark blue, green, white, and yellow [in color]. [Every gatekeeper goddess] has four arms, is naked, [has] a big lotus, and [wears] a diadem [on which an image of] the lord of each one's lineage [is fixed].

svābhopāyādvayāḥ sarvā • dhyāyād varṇatrayodaśāḥ /⁵⁵¹

⁵⁴⁴ According to the *Sādhananidhi* (8.88), they are four of the eight world-guardians of the four cardinal directions: Pradṇavā stands on Indra, who is the eastern guardian; Vādavā stands on Yakṣa, who is the northern guardian; Jraginī stands on Jala, who is the western guardian; and Vairiṇī stands on Yama, who is the southern guardian.

⁵⁴⁵ This line is omitted in C◆-dharā] E (bsnams Tib); karā IBM◆karā] E (phyag na Tib); dharā or parā I; dharā BM

⁵⁴⁶ vikṛtā lambodarī sarvā muṇḍamālā- is omitted in C◆ -darī] M (gsus pa Tib); I; da B; dalī E◆ sarvā] EM (thams cad Tib); I; *om. B*

⁵⁴⁷ kha ṭwāṁ ga] D; kha ṭwāṁ 'dzin P

⁵⁴⁸ -haritasitā] IBpc (ljang dang dkar po Tib); sitā Bac; sitaharitā CEM; cf. haritā sitā *Sādhananidhi* (8.86) ◆catur-] BCEM (bzhi Tib); ca tu I◆ -bhūja-] IBCM (phyag Tib); bhūjā E◆ -virājītā] IBpcCEM; va## Bac; mdog gnyis pa Tib

⁵⁴⁹ nagnā] IBCEpcM (gcer bu Tib); gnā Eac◆ sthūla-] ICM (rgya yang che Tib); sthū~ra B; sthula E◆ -leśa-] CEM; I; lesa B; *n.e.* Tib◆ -makuṭā] IB (dbu rgyan can Tib); mukuṭā CEM

⁵⁵⁰ pa dma'i] D; pad ma'i P

sarvakāmapradā sarvā • hṛdayottamabhāvanā //16//⁵⁵²

/ thams cad rang thabs gnyis pa ste // bcu gsum pa ni rnam par bsgom /
 / snying po mchog ni sgom pa yin /⁵⁵³ / 'dod pa thams cad rab tu stsol //

He should meditate on all [goddesses of] the thirteen letters [being] in union with Means (viz., their male consorts) resembling them. Every visualization of the uppermost heart [mantra] makes all wishes come true.

abhidhānottare devyā hṛdayabhāvanāpaṭalah ekonaṣṭitamah /⁵⁵⁴

mngon par brjod pa'i rgyud bla ma'i bla ma las go cha dang lha mo'i snying po sgom pa bstan pa'i le'u ste Inga bcu rtsa dgu pa'o //

The 59th chapter, [titled] the visualization of the heart [mantra] of the goddess (or the visualization of the armor and the goddess's heart [mantra] according to Tib), in the *Abhidhānottara*.

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⁵⁵² -kāma-] IBCE ('dod pa Tib); kāmaḥ M ♦ -pradā] CEM (rab tu stsol Tib); pradām IB ♦ -ttama-] IBCM (mchog Tib); pattima E ♦ -bhāvanā] em. (sgom pa Tib); bhāva.. I; bhāvanām BCE; bhāvanāḥ M

⁵⁵³ sgom pa] D; bsgom pa P

⁵⁵⁴ abhidhānottare] IB; ity abhidhānottarottare CE; iti śrī abhidhānottarottare M; mngon par brjod pa'i rgyud bla ma'i bla ma las Tib ♦ devyā] em.; hṛdayamantrakavaco devyā IB; hṛdayamantrakavacau devyā CEM; go cha dang lha mo'i Tib. I consider that the words *hṛdayamantrakavaco* (or *-kavacau*) found in all Sanskrit manuscripts is an old interpolation. Although the word *kavaca* (meaning armor) is translated in Tibetan (*go cha*), it is odd because no armor is mentioned in this chapter. ♦ hṛdayabhāvanā-] ICEM; hṛdaye bhāvanā B ♦ ekonaṣṭitamah] em. (Inga bcu rtsa dgu pa Tib); ṣaṭpañcāśah I; ṣaṣṭhapañcāśah B; ṣaṭpañcāśah C; ṣaṭpamcāśah E; ṣaṭpamcāśattamah M

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