## A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF THE UTPĀDĀDISIDDHIŢĪKĀ AND THE HETUBINDUTĪKĀ

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During my study of the Jaina logical and philosophical literature I could find one remarkable thing, viz., that while propagating their own views or criticizing the views of other philosophical schools the Jaina Ācāryas of old have freely utilized the works of the Vaiseṣika, the Naiyāyika and the Buddhist systems. This can be said more specifically about the Buddhist logical works. The old Jaina authors have often quoted a number of long or short passages word for word from Buddhist works. We often see that in support of their own views they have even incorporated in their works many portions literally word to word from the works of other philosophical systems, more especially from the Buddhist logical works.

Generally this helps very much the study of various points in Indian philosophy. Both students and scholars interested in Buddhist logical literature or doing research work in this field will stand to gain substantially by a close study of Jaina logical works <sup>1</sup>. Let us see how Jaina works help the study of Buddhist works.

A large number of the Buddhist works which were originally written in Sanskrit is lost in its original language. However, a great part of it is still preserved in the form of Chinese and Tibetan translations made several hundred years ago. The Chinese versions are not word to word translations. They preserve the meaning of the original texts. Moreover, very few logical works have been translated into the Chinese language while the Tibetan literature is very rich in this respect. A vast number of Buddhist logical works has been translated into Tibetan which represents almost a word to word interpretation of the original works. For this reason the Tibetan translations are of great value not only to those who are interested in Buddhist literature but also to all students of Indian philosophy since nearly all the Indian philosophical works are more or less interrelated.

There is however one great difficulty to be overcome. Sanskrit being a much more rich and systematic language than the Tibetan, though the Tibetan

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> E. g. Prof. Frauwallner has restored nearly the whole of the Sambandhaparikṣā of Dharmakirti (which is lost in Sanskrit) with the help of the Syādvādaratnākara of the Jaina Ācārya Vādidevasūri (Dharmakirtis Sambandhaparikṣā. Text und Übersetzung. WZKM 41, 1934, pp. 261-300).

translators had evolved many devices and established many rules and regulations for translating Sanskrit works into Tibetan, it is often found extremely difficult to understand the precise meaning of the Tibetan translations even independently by the learned Tibetan scholars of the present day. Moreover, there are so many places where the Tibetan interpretations are wrong either due to the incorrectness of the original ms. or to the lack of proper understanding of its real meaning on the part of the translators. In such cases if we get some help from Sanskrit works the task becomes much easier. From this point of view I have here made an effort to reconstruct a lost portion of the Hetubinduṭīkā with the help of the Utpādādisiddhiṭīkā, a Jaina logical treatise, and the Tibetan version of the Hetubinduṭīkā.

The Hetubindu is a work of Dharmakīrti, who is well-known as a great Buddhist locigian and author. It is now lost in Sanskrit and is preserved only in its Tibetan translation <sup>2</sup>. Two commentaries of it are known: one by Vinītadeva and the other by Arcaṭa. The former is a short one and is lost in Sanskrit, its Tibetan translation alone being available. The commentary by Arcaṭa is much more extensive and well-known. It is already published in the Gaekwad's Oriental Series, No. CXIII, by the Oriental Institute (Baroda, 1949), from a single palm-leaf ms. preserved in an old Jaina collection of palm-leaf mss. at Pāṭan (Gujarat State, India). The Āloka is a sub-commentary of the Hetubinduṭīkā of Arcaṭa. Its author is Durvekamiśra who seems to have flourished during the last quarter of the 10th century and the first half of the 11th century A. D. This sub-commentary is also published along with the Hetubinduṭīkā in the same volume.

The Utpādādisiddhi <sup>3</sup> is a logical treatise by Candrasena, a Jaina Ācārya who also wrote a very extensive commentary on it in the 13th century of the Vikrama era. <sup>4</sup> In this commentary the author has given copious excerpts, very long as well as short ones, from the Hetubindu and its commentary by Arcata. Surprisingly, this helps very much in reconstructing many portions of the Hetubindu, lost in Sanskrit. The extracts of the Hetubindutīkā are also

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  A reconstruction of the Sanskrit text has been done recently by E. Steinkellner, Dharmakirti's Hetubinduh, Teil I and II, Wien 1967.

<sup>Jainānanda Pustakālaya, Gopipura, Surat 1936.
At the end of the commentary the author has given the date of its composition in a stanza as follows:</sup> 

dvādasavarṣasateṣu śrīvikramato gateṣu muni(muni)bhiḥ | caitre sampannam idam sāhāyyam cātra me nemeḥ || U p. 233, 7.

In this verse some letters are omitted in the ms. which are shown in bracket by the editor using his own imagination. According to him the date may be 1277. Without being sure of this proposed date we may say that it was composed in the 13th century of the Vikrama era. Perhaps the discovery of another dated ms. of this text might decide the exact date of its composition. Pradyumnasūri, the guru of Ācārya Candrasena, was a co-disciple (gurubandhu) of Ācārya Hemacandra, the well-known Jaina scholar who flourished during the last half of the 12th century and the first half of the 13th century of the Vikrama era.

very helpful in correcting some readings of it since, as already mentioned, its edition is based on a single palm-leaf ms.

Folio no. 52 is missing in the palm-leaf ms. of HBT <sup>5</sup>. Therefore, we can see on p. 48 of the printed HBT, that an important portion is lost between tadbhāvaś ca sambandha ucyate and janyatāyām vā yadi samagrāh svarūpata eva tām janayanti kārye ka eṣām śaktivyāghāto yato 'nyatra kalpyate.

On pp. 93—95 U contains a very long portion from HBT <sup>6</sup>. Its concluding part is as follows <sup>7</sup>: tadbhāvaś ca sambandha ucyate. kāryakāraṇayoś cāsahabhāvitvāt kuto 'sya dviṣṭhatā ? tasyāṃ cāsatyāṃ kathaṃ sambandhitā ? akṣaṇikatve 'pi kāryakāraṇayos tajjananāt prāgapratipannatadādhārabhāvayoḥ paścād api svabhāvāparāvṛtter atadāśrayatvam. anāśritam ca kathaṃ tadbhāvaḥ pratyayahetur vā ? samavāyikāraṇasyaiva kāryasamavāyikāraṇatvaṃ na nimittāsamavāyikāraṇayoḥ, kāryasya vā tatsamavāyāt kāryatvam, asya ca sarvatrāviśeṣāt tat sarvaṃ vastu parasparaṃ kāryakāraṇarūpaṃ syāt. pūrvottarabhāvābhāvaviśeṣaṇatā cāsya tadasambandhād ayuktā niratiśayasya tadayogāc ca tayor eva cātadviśeṣaṇayos tallakṣaṇatā 'stv ity abhiprāyavataiva dharmakīrtinoktaṃ tadbhāve bhāvas tadabhāve 'bhāvas ca kāryakāraṇabhāva iti.

With the help of the above quotation, T and HBTA, we can easily and exactly restore the lost portion up to *kāryakāraṇabhāva iti*. For the Sanskrit retranslation of the remaining portion I have utilized T and HBTA <sup>8</sup>. Thus the reconstruction of the lost portion in the missing folio no. 52, as I have made it, is as follows:

T. (f. 260b6-261b8) 9

de ci dnos po yan chel par brjod na | rgyu dan chras bu ni lhan cig mi chyun baci phyir gñis la gnas par ga la cgyur de med na ji ltar chrel pa yin |

skad cig ma ma yin pa ñid kyan rgyu dan <sup>c</sup>bras, bu dag skyes pa las snar de rten la yod pa ma gtogs pa dag S.

tadbhāvaś ca sambandha ucyate. kāryakāraṇayoś cāsahabhāvitvāt kuto 'sya dviṣṭhatā ? tasyāṃ cāsatyāṃ kathaṃ sambandhitā ?

akṣaṇikatve 'pi kāryakāraṇayos tajjananāt prāgapratipannatadādhārabhāvayoḥ paścād api svabhāvāparāvṛtter

Bstan-ogyur, Mdo CXI, she. We have utilized here the Peking photographic edition published by the Tibetan Tripitaka Research Institute, Tokyo, Vol. 137,

No. 5734, p. 250.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> For the sake of convenience, HBT, HBTA, S, T and U will mean here Hetubinduṭīkā, Hetubinduṭīkā-āloka, Sanskrit, Tibetan translation of the Hetubinduṭīkā and Utpādādisiddhiṭīkā respectively.

<sup>Vide HBT p. 46, 23 - p. 48, 16.
On page 93, 10 of U: anyo bhavan svabhāvato etc. is the beginning of this.
The slight difference in the readings in some places seems to be due to the</sup> 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> The slight difference in the readings in some places seems to be due to the different mss. of HBT, utilized by the authors of the U, HBTA and T, and also the writer of the present S. ms. of HBT. We have mostly followed here T, where it is supported by HBTA.

phyi nas kyan ran bźin gźan la cjug pas de ma yin pa la rten pa ñid dan rten med pas de dnos poci rkyen nam rgyu ma yin no ||

yan na cdu baci rgyu mtshan ñid kyis rgyu dan cbras bur brjod pa dan ses pa dag yin | deci tshe cdu ba can gyi rgyu ñid kyi cbras bu ni cdu ba las rgyu ñid du <sup>c</sup>gyur | rgyu mtshan dan cdu ba med paci rgyu dan ma yin te | cbras bu ni de cdu baci cbras bu ñid do || de yan thams cad la bye brag med pas dinos po thams cad phan tshun rgyu dan cbras buci no bor cgyur ro || sha ma dan phyi ma yod pa dan med paci bye brag gis de yan cdir de ni chrel pa med par mi rigs pas bogs dbyun du med pa la de mi rigs so || de dag ñid dam deci khyad par dag deci mtshan ñid yin no zes dgons nas de yod na ni yod la de med na ni med pas rgyu đan cbras buci no bo žes bšad do 📙

de ltar re zig mi dmigs pa dan lhan cig paci mnon sum dag gis rgyu dan c'bras bu dag yod na yod paci yul la rgyu dan c'bras bu yod pa yin te | de yod na ni yod la de med na ni med pa mtshan ñid sgrub par byed pa bśad do || res c'gac zig mi dmigs pacam mnon sum snon pas rgyu dan c'bras bu sgrub paci phyir deci yul re zig bstan pa ni | rgyu gzan rnams yod kyan zes bya ba smos te |

atadāśrayatvam. anāśritaṃ ca na 10 tadbhāvaḥ pratyayahetur vā.

[atha samavāyanimittatvena kārya-kāranābhidhānapratyayau tadā] 11 samavāyikāranasyaiva ca 12 kāryasamavāyikāranatvam, na nimittāsamavāyikāranayoh, kāryasya vā tatsamavāyah 13 kāryatvam. tasyà 14 ca sarvatrāviśeṣāt tat sarvam vastu parasparam kāryakāranarūpam syāt. pūrvottarabhāvābhāvaviśeṣanatā cāsya tadasambandhād ayuktā. niratiśayasya tadayogāc ca. tayor eva vā tadviśeṣanayos tallakṣaṇatā astu ity abhiprāyavatoktam 15 tadbhāve bhāvas tadabhāve 'bhāvaś ca kāryakāraṇabhāva iti.

evam tāvad anupalambhasahāya pratyakṣeṇa kāryakāraṇayor bhāve bhāvaviṣayasya kāryakāraṇabhāvasya tadbhāvabhāvatadabhāvābhāvalakṣaṇasya siddhir uktā. kvacid anupalabdhyāpi pratyakṣapūrvikayā kāryakāraṇabhāvasiddhes tadviṣayam tāvad darsayann āha satsv apy anyeṣu hetuṣv iti.

<sup>10</sup> katham U; cf. pratyayahetuh kāryakāraṇabuddhihetur vā, neti vartate (HBTA

p. 302, 21-22).

11 The reading in the bracket does not appear in U. The Tibetan translators seem to have added this for the easy understanding of the meaning of the next passage.

<sup>12</sup> ca HBTA only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> tatsamavāyāt Ŭ.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> asya U.
 <sup>15</sup> ity abhiprāyavataiva dharmakirtinoktam U. Cf. abhiprāyavatā, vārtikakrteti prakaraņāt (HBTA p. 304, 20).

du ba la sogs paci cbras bu me dan bud sin la sogs paci tshogs pa can dag ni tshogs pa las gźan ma yin te | tshogs pa rnams rgyu med pa ñid du thal bar cgyur ro || cbras bu de la bltos pa ma yin na dnos po med par thal bar cgyur ro || gal te de dan cbrel pas de la bltos pa yin no źe na | cdir su źig skyed par byed pa ma yin na don gźan dan cbrel pas yin skyed par byed na yan tshogs paci ran gi no bo kho nas skyed par byed pa yin te | cbras bu gcig byed pa la cdi dag nus pa med dam gan gis na gźan źig brtag par bya |

na ca 16 dhūmādikāryasyāgnīndhanādisāmagrī samagrebhyo 'nyā samagrāṇām akāraṇatvaprasaṅgāt. kāryasya tadanapekṣāyām avastutvaprasaṅgāt. tatsambandhāt tadapekṣā iti cet, atrājanyatāyāṃ kasyārthāntareṇa sambandhaḥ. janyatāyāṃ vā yadi samagrāḥ svarūpata eva tāṃ janayanti, kārye ka eṣāṃ śaktivyāghāto yato 'nyatra kalpyate.

If we try, we may discover many such portions in the Jaina and other literature, which could help us in the study of Buddhist works.

In conclusion I would like to say this. When I received an invitation from professor Oberhammer to contribute an article to the Festschrift for professor Frauwallner in honour of his 70th birthday, I at once accepted it for two reasons. Firstly, because I am in close contact with professor Frauwallner since the last ten years and I have great respect for his vast study of so many aspects of Indian philosophy. It compelled me to write something. Secondly, when I was editing the Dvādaśāranayacakra and preparing a Sanskrit retranslation from the Tibetan versions of some portions of the Pramāṇasamuccaya and its commentaries for the appendix, I received much help from him in many ways. Therefore, I felt it as my special and sacred duty to write something on this auspicious occasion. I congratulate him wholeheartedly as a friend and as an admirer of the great services rendered by him to the cause of Indian philosophy.

 $<sup>^{16}</sup>$  Cf. bhinnasāmagrīvādino matam āśankya tan nirākurvann āha na ceti. HBTA p. 304, 21-22.