

# Debate Study Group

## Class 3 (The Consequence) Notes:

### Definition of a Reason:

That which you put forth as a reason

### Definition of a Correct Reason:

A reason in which the three relationships hold

### Elements of The 3 Part Statement

1. Subject
2. Assertion
3. Reason

### The Four Responses

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Len Shi

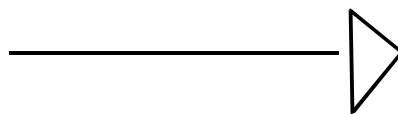
### Responses to an Assertion

Du འདོད། That's right! (agree)

Chi Chir ཅི་ཅིར། Why? (disagree)

### The Three Relationships

A. 3 (the Reason) is true of 1 (the Subject).



### Responses to a Reason

(If it Fails That Relationship)

Tak Ma Drup  
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reason / not / correct  
3 is not true of 1

B. If 3 (the Reason) is true, then 2 (the Assertion) must be true.

C. If 2 (the Assertion) is NOT true, then 3 (the Reason) must NOT be true.



Kyappa Ma Jung  
ཁྱེད་པ་མ་བྱུང།

necessity / not / is  
3 is true of 1, but,  
that doesn't prove 2

The Consequence

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Teln-gyur

To Tak Ma Drup:

“Ohh...so **1** isn't **3**!?!”

To Kyappa Ma Jung:

“Ohh...so **1** is **3**!?!” AND “Ohh...so there is a **3** that isn't **2**!?!”