



## Revocable Living Trust Amendment

Unlike a Will, a living trust is controlled by contract law rather than by the probate code under state law. An amendment to a Revocable Living Trust must be in writing, but it does not need to be witnessed. It does not need to be notarized. It does need to be signed by the Grantors of the Trust and the Trustees of the Trust since they are both parties to the Trust Agreement. In most cases, with a Revocable Living Trust, these are the same people.

After the Revocable Living Trust has been signed, the original should be placed with your other legal documents in a safety deposit box or a fire-proof cabinet and a copy put in your Document Portfolio.

The following pages contain a sample filled-out Revocable Living Trust Amendment form which will guide you on how to complete the form, and a blank Amendment for you to complete.

**THE**  
**REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST**

**AMENDMENT**

THIS \_\_\_\_\_ AMENDMENT to the Trust Agreement made this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ executed between  
\_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter  
referred to as the Grantor(s) and \_\_\_\_\_,  
hereinafter referred to as the Trustee(s).

WHEREAS, the Grantor(s) and the Trustee(s) entered into a Revocable Living Trust  
dated \_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter called the  
Trust Agreement, and

WHEREAS, Article \_\_\_\_\_ of the Trust Agreement provided that the  
Grantor(s) reserve(s) the right to amend in any manner or revoke in whole or in part the  
Trust Agreement, and

WHEREAS, the Grantor(s) is/are desirous of modifying and amending the Trust Agreement  
and the Trustee(s) is/are agreeable to the modification and amendments contained herein,

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED:

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Grantor(s) has hereunto subscribed his/her name to the Amendment to this TRUST this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
GRANTOR

STATE OF )  
COUNTY OF ) ) SS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, by the Grantor.

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Notary public:

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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