

# SAMPLE CODICIL/ AMENDMENT

A codicil is a supplement that explains or modifies a will, or revokes part of one. Codicils can be used for relatively minor changes to a will such as:

- adding or deleting a specific gift;
- changing a personal representative; or
- updating a legal name of someone listed in the will.

The following is an example of what a codicil would look like. Please remember that we are not providing legal advice and that we recommend you consult your lawyer to make sure you are properly advised.

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**This is a codicil to my will dated:**

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I give the sum of \$

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[or] I give the following described property:

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[or] I give % of my estate

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[or] I give the residue of my estate

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to: The Alzheimer Society of Nova Scotia

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**Charitable Registration number: 10670 5379 RR0001**

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In all other respects I confirm my will.

Signature:

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1st Witness:

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2nd Witness:

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Date:

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We recommend you discuss your gift intentions with your own financial, legal, and/or tax advisor. When you are ready to proceed, we would be pleased to work with you to develop a gift which is meaningful to you and will bring maximum benefit to Nova Scotians living with dementia.

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