When it's time to update your will, you don't have to start from scratch. You can use a codicil, a supplement that explains or modifies your existing will.

Sample Codicil*

I give, devise, and bequeath \$ ______ to Earthjustice, 180 Steuart St., #194330, San Francisco, CA 94105 (Tax ID: 94-1730465) for its charitable uses and purposes.

In all other respects I ratify and confirm all of the provision of my said last Will and Testament dated on the _____ day of _____, 20__.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I sign, publish and declare this instrument to be a Codicil to my last Will and Testament in the presence of the persons witnessing said Codicil at my request this _____ day of _____, 20___.

	residing at	
(signed name)		
Witnesses		
	residing at	
(signed name)		

* The codicil, to be valid, must be signed in the presence of witnesses, and the original placed with your other valuable papers. A copy can go to your lawyer and a copy to Earthjustice.