Amendment to Rental Agreement

Regarding the tenancy at _____["premises"] and the rental agreement dated ______.

New roommate ______ will be replacing ______, the old roommate, taking over occupancy of the use of the common area and same portion of the premises described as [e.g. back bedroom]

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The change will be effective on ____/___. As of that day, the old roommate gives up all right to possession and access to the premises, surrendering keys and other access devices such as a garage door opener, and the new roommate will thereafter have the right to access to the premises.

The new roommate has received a copy of the main rental agreement and related rules and conditions, and agrees to abide by them as though an original signing party, but shall not be liable for any event occurring prior to this new occupancy.

The Security Deposit held by the landlord is the amount of \$______, of which the portion contributed by the old roommate was \$______. As part of this transition, the new roommate is paying that amount to the old roommate, who gives up the right to recover that portion from the landlord when all tenants have vacated the premises. The landlord agrees that the old roommate's share of the security deposit will thereafter be claimed by the new roommate, and the old roommate will not be entitled to any of it.

Landlord	Landlord
old roommate	new roommate
tenant	tenant
tenant	tenant

[A copy of this fully signed agreement should be given to each signing party for their records.]