

Committee Opinion
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LEGAL ETHICS OPINION 522

CONFLICT OF INTEREST/FORMER
ASSISTANT COMMONWEALTH'S
ATTORNEY/PRIVATE PRACTICE.

When a former Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney accepts employment with a law firm which represents two uncooperative, material witnesses in a Special Grand Jury's investigation, it is ethically improper for the former Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney to continue to represent the Special Grand Jury following his resignation from the Commonwealth's Attorney's office. [DR:5-101(A) and EC:5-1]

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