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CONFIDENCE/SECRET – INTENT TO
COMMIT SUICIDE.

It is not improper for an attorney to disclose to appropriate mental health authorities the stated intentions of a client to leave the state and commit suicide. [DR:4-101(B)(1), DR:4-101(D)(1), ABA Informal Opinions 1188, 1413, 1458.]

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