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PUBLIC OFFICE – PRIVATE
REPRESENTATION – USE OF STATUS.

It is not improper for an attorney who is also a public officer such as a commissioner in chancery, or a trustee in a U.S. bankruptcy court to represent clients before such courts. It is only the attorney who attempts to use such status of public office to advance a private cause who violates EC:8-8 and DR:8-101(A).

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