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LEGAL ETHICS OPINION 793

CONFLICT OF INTEREST –  
ATTORNEY'S FIANCEE EMPLOYED  
BY OPPOSING COUNSEL.

It is not improper for an attorney to represent a client when the adverse party is represented by the law firm which employs the attorney's fiancée as a legal secretary. Should said attorney feel his relationship with his fiancée might affect his independent professional judgment on behalf of his client, he must make disclosure to his client and obtain client's consent to continue representation. [ DR:5-101(A)]

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