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CONFLICT OF INTEREST –
CORPORATION.

Shareholder A owns 55% of a Corporation and Shareholder B owns 45% of the Corporation. Attorney has represented the Corporation over a period of years and his partner prepared a will for Shareholder A. It is not ethically permissible for Attorney to represent Shareholder B against Shareholder A in a dispute involving how the Corporation should be run or the activities of the Corporation. [See II: DR:5-105(A) and EC:5-18.]

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