

Committee Opinion  
April 10, 1984

LEGAL ETHICS OPINION 564

CONFLICT OF INTEREST – CITY  
COUNCIL.

It is improper for an attorney/member of a city council to represent a defendant on a charge of violating a city ordinance. [ DR:9-101(B), (C); LE Op. 188]

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**Legal Ethics Committee Notes.** – This opinion was later modified by L E Op. No. 683 to permit the lawyer to represent clients on charges of violating ordinances as long as the lawyer complies with all ethical duties.