

Committee Opinion
October 9, 1986

LEGAL ETHICS OPINION 819

CONFLICT OF INTEREST – DUAL
REPRESENTATION.

Providing disclosure is made to both parties and both parties consent, it is not improper for an attorney to commence an action under § 8.01-195.4 of the Code of Virginia on behalf of a client injured in an automobile accident by a truck belonging to the Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation even though the attorney represents the Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation in condemnation cases. The committee is of the opinion that the two matters are not substantially related.

[DR:5-105(D)]

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