

Rule 1.8.2 Use of Current Client's Information
(Commission's Proposed New Rule Adopted on August 14, 2015 – Clean Version)

A lawyer shall not use a client's information protected by Business and Professions Code § 6068(e)(1) to the disadvantage of the client unless the client gives informed consent,* except as permitted by these Rules or the State Bar Act.

Comment

A lawyer violates the duty of loyalty by using information protected by Business and Professions Code § 6068(e)(1) to the disadvantage of a current client.