

Re: Proposed RPC 1.2, Comment 18.

To counsel a client to commit an illegal act is to counsel a client to commit an illegal act, irrespective of whether the latest transient holder of an elected office, in this case the current President of the United States, also with but two years left in office, has stated that he will ignore the law regarding marijuana as well as long-established principles of federalism.

It also matters little, to nothing, that a small majority of Washington citizens, also grouped in a narrow geographic area, passed a patently illegal law that no court in this state has had the backbone or integrity, or perhaps opportunity, to strike down under the most basic principle of federalism that perhaps even every third grader knows--that federal law trumps state law when the two are in conflict.

Instead, I predict the Washington State Supreme Court will approve Proposed RPC 1.2, thus both signing on to the latest action that continues to denigrate the rule of law in a society already fraying further apart by the day, and also perpetuating what has become, in many respects, the now, almost, rule of "extra-legal" law in our country, as opposed to the simple rule of law.

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Attached is a comment I wish to submit to the comment section for Proposed Rule 1.2, Comment 18.

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