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Subject: Proposed amendment to RPC 1.15A

I am writing to support the proposed amendment to RPC 1.15A (changing property to funds). many of the cases that I teach in my trusts and estates class could have been avoided if the original Wills had been kept with the drafting attorney instead of being turned over to the testator to tamper with, lose, etc. The rule as currently drafted would cause lawyers to be reluctant to hold original Wills for clients, which in turn would increase the litigation over estates and thwarting of testators' intentions.

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