



# Tamari Law Group Issues 2025 Legal Ethics & AI Compliance Brief: Best Practices for Responsible Use of AI in Law Firms

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CHICAGO, IL, UNITED STATES, October 15, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Tamari Law Group today released its 2025 Legal Ethics & AI Compliance Brief, outlining best practices for attorneys adopting artificial-intelligence tools while maintaining professional-conduct standards.

The publication consolidates recent guidance from the American Bar Association's Formal Opinion 512 (August 2024) and multiple state bar opinions on integrating AI responsibly within daily legal work.

## AI and the Evolving Duty of Competence

ABA Formal Opinion 512 (2024) clarifies that lawyers must understand the capabilities and limits of AI systems they employ. Tamari Law Group's brief distills those principles into practical steps for evaluating vendors, protecting client data, and verifying AI-assisted work product.

"Artificial intelligence can improve efficiency, but it cannot replace human judgment," said Walid J. Tamari, founding partner of Tamari Law Group, the originating law firm for Legal Intake Authority.

"Responsible use starts with awareness. Our brief helps firms build policies that keep innovation inside ethical boundaries."

## Five Core Compliance Priorities

Drawing on ABA Formal Opinion 512 (2024), state bar opinions and recent federal-court decisions, the brief highlights five universal priorities for AI adoption:

**Data Security and Client Confidentiality** — Encrypt all transfers to AI platforms and avoid uploading privileged material without contractual safeguards.

**Verification of Outputs** — Every AI-generated citation or analysis must be reviewed and verified by a licensed attorney before use.

**Disclosure and Informed Consent** — Where required by engagement terms, court rules or

otherwise, disclose substantive AI assistance.

Vendor Due Diligence — Select providers maintaining SOC-2 or comparable security certifications that allow audit access.

Continuing Education — Treat AI literacy as part of ongoing professional competence, consistent with evolving bar standards.

The brief also recommends adding a dedicated AI Usage Policy to firm compliance manuals specifying approved platforms, data-handling protocols, and supervisory responsibilities.

### Embedding Ethics Into Automation

Tamari Law Group's own implementation of AI includes ethical intake and case-qualification systems through Legal Intake Authority. The platform uses decision trees and verification logic to ensure advertising processes comply with bar-rule requirements while improving responsiveness to potential clients.

"Technology should serve justice, not jeopardize it," Tamari added. "Embedding ethical checks into every workflow protects both clients and reputations."

### About Tamari Law Group

Tamari Law Group is a Chicago-based litigation firm with offices in Illinois, New York, and California. The firm represents clients in complex civil matters, including environmental contamination, product liability and business torts. Founding partner Walid J. Tamari, recognized among America's Top 100 Attorneys in Illinois, leads the firm's national initiatives on responsible technology use in litigation and client intake.

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