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To whom it may concern:

In response to the June 19, 2015 Federal Register notice announcing a request for comments concerning practitioner conduct and discipline, please see my comments below.

This comment is directed to the following question: ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?

As a matter of professional responsibility, Florida attorneys are required to keep appropriate records of finances, court documents, etc. pertaining to their representation of a client. In light of the above, our opinion is that the collection of information can be enhanced by specifically asking that the attorney or agent disclose how said records are kept – whether they are paper records in filing cabinets, computer files stored locally, computer records stored on the cloud, etc. As a patent attorney located in Miami, Florida, this issue is topical for my practice, since I often deal with clients in other states or countries, and I therefore keep all of my records electronic. I believe it would enhance the data you are collecting by soliciting this data as well.

Sincerely,

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