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HOW TO DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN DOUBLE REPRESENTATION AND THE DUTY TO PROVIDE FAIR TREATMENT?

A buyer wants to buy a property I have listed for a selling client with whom I have a brokerage contract to sell.

Do I already have a brokerage contract to purchase with this buyer?



YES

This is double representation which is prohibited.

I MUST

Inform the parties of the situation because I cannot represent them at the same time.

Advise the buyer to deal with another broker.

Terminate the brokerage contract to purchase with my current client, in accordance with the regulatory parameters.

* I will not be able to claim any compensation after the termination of the contract.

NO

This is not double representation, but I must provide fair treatment.

Does this buyer have a brokerage contract to purchase with another broker?



I MUST

Cooperate with this buyer's broker.

I MUST

Advise him that I represent only the interests of my selling client, that I do not represent his interests, but I must treat him fairly.

Advise him to seek representation by a broker with whom he will sign a brokerage contract to purchase.