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90.5021 **Fiduciary lawyer-client privilege.**—

(1) For the purpose of this section, a client acts as a fiduciary when serving as a personal representative or a trustee as defined in ss. [731.201](#) and [736.0103](#), an administrator ad litem as described in s. [733.308](#), a curator as described in s. [733.501](#), a guardian or guardian ad litem as defined in s. [744.102](#), a conservator as defined in s. [710.102](#), or an attorney in fact as described in chapter 709.

(2) A communication between a lawyer and a client acting as a fiduciary is privileged and protected from disclosure under s. [90.502](#) to the same extent as if the client were not acting as a fiduciary. In applying s. [90.502](#) to a communication under this section, only the person or entity acting as a fiduciary is considered a client of the lawyer.

(3) This section does not affect the crime or fraud exception to the lawyer-client privilege provided in s. [90.502\(4\)\(a\)](#).

History.—s. 1, ch. 2011-183.

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