

I may have missed it, but a topic that I don't think has come up in the discussion thus far is unauthorized practice of law prohibitions. If we want to allow the free market's discovery process to work – finding new modes of delivering services that serve consumers better than the old ones – we must get rid of unauthorized practice prohibitions.

Those vague laws can and often do ensnare anyone who assists anyone else in something that the bar association thinks should be its “turf.” Here's a revealing case I learned about quite a few years ago when I lived in Michigan.

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