

Limited versus Unlimited Political Action Committees

	Limited	Unlimited	Difference
Definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May make contributions to: political parties; candidates or candidate committees; other PACs; independent expenditures; electioneering communications; or state questions. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May engage only in independent expenditures or electioneering communications in campaigns involving candidates or in advocating the passage or defeat of a state question. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited PAC may not contribute to candidates, candidate committees, limited PACs, political parties or political party committees.
Entities that may contribute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not receive corporate contributions. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited PAC may not receive corporate contributions.
Individual Contributions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No one person can contribute more than \$5,000.00 in any calendar year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited PACs may receive unlimited contributions.
Contributions to Limited PACs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than \$5,000.00 in any calendar year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not contribute. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited PACs may not contribute to Limited PACs.
Contributions to Political Party Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than \$10,000.00 in any calendar year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not contribute. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited PACs may not contribute to political parties.
Contributions to Candidate Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than \$5,000.00 prior to a primary election. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not contribute. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited PACs may not contribute to candidate committees.
Candidate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$15,000.00, (provided their name appears in runoff, primary and general election ballots). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not contribute. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlimited PACs may not contribute to candidates.