

POLICY ALERT

NEW POLITICAL CONTRIBUTION LIMITS FOR 2009-2010

In accordance with statutory requirements to index political contribution limits every two years, the Federal Election Commission recently released revised contribution limits for individuals, political action committees (PACs), and state and national party committees for the 2009-2010 election cycle. A table with updated limits is below. The revised limits impact contributions made by individuals and non-multicandidate PACs.

Please contact any member of Akin Gump's political law team for assistance or questions you may have.

Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act (BCRA) Contribution Limits 2009-2010					
<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Donor</i>				
	Individual	Multicandidate PAC	Non-Multicandidate PAC	National Party	State Party
Senate Candidate	\$2,400/election	\$5,000/election	\$2,400/election	\$5,000/election	\$5,000/election
House Candidate	\$2,400/election	\$5,000/election	\$2,400/election	\$5,000/election	\$5,000/election
Presidential Candidate	\$2,400/election	\$5,000/election	\$2,400/election	\$5,000/election	\$5,000/election
National Party	\$30,400/calendar year	\$15,000/calendar year	\$30,400/calendar year	Unlimited	Unlimited
State Party	\$10,000/calendar year	\$5,000/calendar year	\$10,000/calendar year	Unlimited	Unlimited
PAC	\$5,000/calendar year	\$5,000/calendar year	\$5,000/calendar year	\$5,000/calendar year	\$5,000/calendar year

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Cycle Limits	<p>\$115,500 per 2 Year Cycle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ \$45,600 to federal candidates ▪ \$69,900 to other political committees <p>Of the \$69,900 limit, no more than \$45,600 to state and local parties and PACs</p>	N/A	N/A	A combined \$42,600 year cycle may be given to Republican and Democratic Senate candidates by the RNC/NRSC and the DNC/DSCC respectively	N/A

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