## Indiana

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**Overall Rank** 



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Indiana	Overall Rank	To Governor	To State Senate	To State House	To Parties	To PACs
Individual Giving	1	1	1	1	1	1
		Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited
PAC Giving	1	1	1	1	1	
		Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	
Party Giving	1	1	1	1		
		Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited		
Union Giving	30	30	30	30		
		\$5,000/year	\$2,000/year	\$2,000/year		
Corporate Giving	26	26	26	26		
		\$5,000/year	\$2,000/year	\$2,000/year		

Inflation Adjustment: N/A

Indiana is almost perfect when it comes to its political giving laws. The state imposes no limits on contributions to candidates from individuals, political committees, and parties, and individuals can give unlimited amounts to political parties and PACs as well.

What holds the Hoosier State back from achieving the Index's highest possible ranking are low limits on the ability of businesses and unions to give to candidates they support. Making these limits even worse is that they define the overall amount corporations and unions can give to all candidates combined, rather than simply limiting the amount they can give to a single candidate.

Removing these unnecessary restrictions on corporate and union giving would allow Indiana to join the five states with perfect scores (Alabama, Nebraska, Oregon, Utah, Virginia) in the Index.