

# Mississippi

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Overall Rank

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Mississippi	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	1	1	1	1		
		Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited		
Corporate Giving	23	23	21	21		
		\$1,000/year	\$1,000/year	\$1,000/year		

Inflation Adjustment: N/A

Political speech receives a warm welcome from the Hospitality State. No state comes closer than Mississippi to a perfect grade without achieving one. Individuals, parties, political committees, and labor unions are all free to make contributions of the size of their choosing in the state.

Just one thing prevents Mississippi from joining the five states with perfect scores in the Index: a \$1,000 limit on contributions from corporations to statewide and legislative candidates. Removing it would give Mississippi a worthy claim of having the best political giving laws in the country.