

Notice of Political Donation Caps
State elections and by-elections
1 July 2026 to 30 June 2027

The political donation caps for the **2026-27 financial year** are:

Election participant	Political donation cap
Registered political party	\$5,138
Endorsed candidate	\$7,706*
Independent candidate	\$7,706

*This amount is shared by all candidates endorsed by the same registered political party for the election.

Political donation caps apply to political donations given to a registered political party or State candidate by a single donor during a donation cap period. The current donation cap period began on 1 July 2026 and ends on 30 June 2027. A new donation cap period starts each financial year.

Any political donations received by an associated entity of a registered political party or State candidate will count towards the cap of that party or candidate.

The political donation caps for State elections are adjusted for inflation after each financial year. The caps are adjusted in accordance with the formula under section 253 of the EA.

For further information about political donation caps, refer to the fact sheets available on the ECQ's website: www.ecq.qld.gov.au/factsheets.

This notice is issued under section 253 of the *Electoral Act 1992* on 15 June 2026.

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