



## What is DISPAC?

The Distilled Spirits Council of the United States Political Action Committee (DISPAC) is a qualified political action committee (PAC) registered with the Federal Election Commission (FEC). A PAC enables employees or members of groups – such as select personnel of a trade association’s member companies, corporations, and professional organizations – to pool their political contributions to support a common goal. DISPAC advances the goals of the distilled spirits industry and supports candidates who will assist the Distilled Spirits Council in achieving its legislative objectives.

## What is the purpose of this form?

Federal election law requires that DISPAC receive written permission from a corporate member before DISPAC staff can speak with you about the benefits of a contribution to the PAC. The FEC allows you to authorize prior approval for multiple years.

## How will a solicitation take place?

After DISPAC receives your signed authorization, we may share a verbal or written solicitation with you and with eligible employees. These employees must be members of your restricted class, which for corporations includes executive and administrative personnel, stockholders, and their family members. **Please note: DISPAC will not send a solicitation to your company’s staff without working directly with you. This form will allow DISPAC to communicate with you and your company’s staff at DISCUS events, such as Board Meetings and the annual Conference.**

## Important details:

A corporate entity may only grant this authorization to one trade association PAC per year. Corporate contributions are not permitted to DISPAC. Contributions are for political purposes and are not deductible for federal tax purposes. This form must be signed by a corporate employee with whom the Distilled Spirits Council of the United States (DISCUS) regularly conducts business.

By signing this form, I am authorizing DISPAC to solicit myself and/or my employees during the year(s) which I approve. Please sign or type your name below for the year(s) in which you are giving DISPAC prior approval.

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Name	2024
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Title	2025
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Company	2026
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Date	2027
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