

Political Contributions Policy Adopted July 25, 2022

At Pacific Biosciences of California, Inc. (PacBio), our mission is to enable the promise of genomics to better human health. We pursue this mission by developing advanced sequencing technologies that enable our customers to explore the genetic basis of life. Every day, our customers are using our technology to understand and solve humanity's most pressing problems – tracking infectious diseases, cancer, rare disease, alleviating hunger, and so much more. Our mission informs everything we do at PacBio. It propels us to continue innovating to accelerate scientific breakthroughs that will better humanity and improve life for all living things in our communities and around the world.

Given the breadth of areas we serve with our solutions, we believe it is important to play an active role in the political process to support policies that enable the work of researchers using genomic sequencing technologies to better human health. Through our global policy-related work, we engage with federal, state, local and regional-level officeholders, as well as with trade associations and industry groups with similar goals.

Government Affairs is responsible for advocacy activities. As needed, we work with key advisors that provide expertise on public policy issues and specific regions.

Our legislative priorities include adoption and reimbursement for genetic testing, infectious disease surveillance, and funding for genomic research.

Federal Political Activities

PacBio does not contribute corporate funds to officeholders or candidates for federal office. The company does not maintain a Political Action Committee (PAC), nor does it contribute to any external PACs or independent expenditures on behalf of federal officeholders or candidates.

State and Local Political Activities

PacBio does not contribute corporate funds to support state or local candidates or officeholders, nor does the company currently make contributions to support ballot initiatives or party committees.

Trade Associations, Industry Groups and Other Organizations



To support the development of industry consensus positions on policies that may impact our business, PacBio maintains membership in several industry trade groups, which represent the interests of the life sciences community. Our membership and participation in these industry groups does not represent an endorsement of all policy positions taken by these groups. Through our participation, however, we have a voice in the development of policy positions that affect our industry and our customers.

Personal Contributions

Contributions to political candidates, parties, independent expenditures, or ballot initiatives by PacBio executives and employees are at the sole discretion of the donor and do not necessarily reflect the values, beliefs, or positions held by the company.