Dear Industry Professional:

The NCBFAA Political Action Committee (PAC) plays an important role in shaping the rules and regulations that govern our industry.

A PAC is a committee operating under federal election regulations, which pools together individual contributions and collectively contributes them to key candidates for Congress and the Senate. The NCBFAA PAC is a bipartisan multi-candidate federal political action committee affiliated with the National Customs Brokers & Forwarders Association of America and registered with the Federal Election Commission. The NCBFAA PAC provides the Association with the ability to be a stronger, more unified force in the political arena.

Federal law requires the NCBFAA PAC to obtain your company's prior approval before we ask you or your company's other executive or administrative employees to contribute to NCBFAA PAC. This Authorization Form is not a solicitation and does not obligate you to contribute to NCBFAA PAC. Also, each company can only authorize one trade association to solicit the company's executive or administrative employees.

Who directs the activities of the NCBFAA PAC?

The NCBFAA PAC Board of Governors, a committee composed of NCBFAA leaders representing the customs broker and forwarder industry, handles the PAC activities, coordinates fundraising for the PAC and selects candidates for contributions, with input from our Legislative Representative.

How does the NCBFAA PAC work?

The NCBFAA PAC concentrates on those issues that have become vitally important to customs brokers and freight forwarders and targets those candidates who make a difference in these areas. The NCBFAA PAC Committee selects only candidates who meet our standards in voicing the interest of the industry in Congress and who serve the nation well in high public office.

Why is there an authorization form attached?

An "authorization" is required before the NCBFAA PAC can ask you or your company's executive or administrative employees or shareholders for a contribution. You simply designate the NCBFAA PAC as the sole political action committee that may actively solicit your company's employees this year. If you have already "authorized" an association this year, however, you may donate to other association PACs on a voluntary, unsolicited basis.

*All contributions to NCBFAA PAC must be from individuals, not corporations.*
*Contributions to the NCBFAA PAC are not deductible for federal income tax purposes.*
*The maximum annual individual contribution is $5,000.*
*Contributions to NCBFAA PAC will be used for the benefit of political candidates at the federal level who make a difference on issues important to our industry.*
Can contributors suggest candidates they feel the NCBFAA PAC should support?

Any contributor is encouraged to make recommendations at any time to any member of the NCBFAA PAC Committee, the NCBFAA officers and Board of Directors, or staff.

Can my company contribute?

No! Federal law forbids contributions from incorporated entities.

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THE ATTACHED AUTHORIZATION FORM.
NCBFAA Political Action Committee (PAC) Authorization Form

ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION (EMAIL) OPTION

☐ Yes, I am an authorized signer for my company and I authorize the NCBFAA PAC to communicate with and solicit voluntary contributions from me and other executive personnel of my company for the calendar years indicated below. I confirm that my company has not authorized another trade association with a federal PAC to solicit contributions during the calendar years indicated. I understand that I will receive information about the NCBFAA PAC.

Electronic Signature Option - You can choose to check the box(es) below and return the form by email to staffa@ncbfaa.org, which will constitute your electronic signature and approval.

☐ 2017 By checking this box I provide my electronic signature to authorize NCBFAA PAC to solicit voluntary contributions from executives at my company for the year shown

☐ 2018 By checking this box I provide my electronic signature to authorize NCBFAA PAC to solicit voluntary contributions from executives at my company for the year shown

☐ 2019 By checking this box I provide my electronic signature to authorize NCBFAA PAC to solicit voluntary contributions from executives at my company for the year shown

☐ 2020 By checking this box I provide my electronic signature to authorize NCBFAA PAC to solicit voluntary contributions from executives at my company for the year shown

☐ 2021 By checking this box I provide my electronic signature to authorize NCBFAA PAC to solicit voluntary contributions from executives at my company for the year shown

Company Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Email

Authorized Signer (Please Print)

Please Save Changes and Email Form to: projects@ncbfaa.org
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HARD COPY SUBMISSION (MAIL) OPTION

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If you return this form by mail, please fill in the years for which you would like to authorize and then sign below

☐ 2017  ☐ 2018  ☐ 2019  ☐ 2020  ☐ 2021

Company Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Email

Authorized Signer (Please Print)

Authorized Signature for each of the years selected above:

Authorized Signature 2017: ______________________________________________________
Authorized Signature 2018: _____________________________________________________
Authorized Signature 2019: _____________________________________________________
Authorized Signature 2020: _____________________________________________________
Authorized Signature 2021: _____________________________________________________

Date: _______________

Please return this form by mail to:

NCBFAA PAC
1200 18th Street NW, Suite 901
Washington, D.C. 20036

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