

SENATE BILL 214

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and Teitelbaum**

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Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Campaign Finance - Contribution Limitations**

3 FOR the purpose of increasing the total amount a person may contribute to all
4 campaign finance entities during a certain period of time; and generally relating
5 to the amount a person may contribute to all campaign finance entities.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
7 Article - Election Law
8 Section 13-226(b)
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (2003 Volume)

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
12 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

13 **Article - Election Law**

14 13-226.

15 (b) Subject to subsection (d) of this section, a person may not, either directly or
16 indirectly, in an election cycle make:

17 (1) aggregate contributions in excess of:

18 (i) \$4,000 to any one campaign finance entity; or

19 (ii) [\$10,000]\$20,000 to all campaign finance entities; or

20 (2) a contribution of money in excess of \$100 except by check.

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
22 October 1, 2003.