2026 Semi-Annual Political Spend Report

As part of its overall efforts to promote transparency for shareholders and others, Cognizant voluntarily discloses its corporate contributions that may be used for political purposes. This report is updated semi-annually. The below summarizes Cognizant's payments for the first six months of 2026. More information relating to Cognizant's policy and procedures for political expenditures can be found in Cognizant's *Political Activity Policy* available on our website.

Category	Cognizant Corporate Contributions
Corporate Contributions to state or local political candidates, parties and committees (where permitted by law)	None
Payments to organizations organized under Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC")	None
Independent political expenditures made in direct support of or opposition to a campaign	None
Payments made to influence the outcome of ballot measures	None
Payments to other tax-exempt organizations, such as "social welfare organizations" organized until Section 501(c)(4) of the IRC that may be used for political purposes	None
Memberships in U.S. trade associations where dues paid exceed $50,000 and such dues may be used for political purposes [1] *Portion of the company's payments were used for non-deductible lobbying expenditures under Section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code as reported by the relevant trade association.*	*Membership Dues* / *Lobbying* The Business Roundtable — $340,000 — 44% Information Technology Industry Council — $250,000 — 17.5% US Chamber of Commerce — $150,000 — 40%