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We at H.J. Heinz Company appreciate your objectiveness.

I would like to add one further point of clarification, as noted on our web site  
([www.heinz.com](http://www.heinz.com)):

“The practice of the Heinz Company PAC in the United States Presidential election is to support the nominated candidate from both major parties. Accordingly, the PAC donated \$5,000 to the Bush campaign, and because the Kerry campaign does not accept PAC contributions, is donating \$5,000 to the Democratic National Committee.”

I hope this is helpful.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Debora S. Foster".

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