

JUDICIAL CANDIDATES RATING COALITION
REQUEST FOR BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION
FROM JUDICIAL CANDIDATES

This form seeks information about you that will be posted on the Judge4Yourself.com website with its ratings. Please complete and return this form and a black and white photograph of yourself no later than **September 4, 2009**. Each Candidate is responsible to provide accurate information, to review the information when posted and to advise the JCRC promptly of any correction required to that candidate's posted information.

Name: Madeleine L. Lecso

Current City of Residence: Bedford Date and Place of Birth: 6/30/53 (Cleveland)

Undergraduate School and Degree (Year of Graduation): Kent State University
Bachelor of Arts Degree. Awarded June of 1975.
Double Major in English and Political Science.

Law School (Year of Graduation): Cleveland-Marshall College of Law - Juris Doctor - Awarded May of 1988

Other Graduate School, if any, and Degree (Year of Graduation): Kent State University - Master's Degree in
Journalism started Jan. 2007.

Year Admitted to Practice in Ohio: 20 Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in Ohio 20
(excluding Judicial Service)

Other Court(s) to Which
You Are Admitted & Year(s): United States District Court of Northern District of Ohio (July, 1990)

Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in any State (excluding Judicial Service): 20

Briefly describe your areas of practice: Real Estate, Probate, Estate Planning, Criminal Law,
Litigation, Domestic Relations, Torts, Insurance and Taxation.

Summarize your experience, if any, before the court to which you seek election: Represented everyday clients with
everyday legal problems that needed resolution in the Bedford Municipal Court District
for twenty + years.

Service as judge in state or federal court of record (identify position, court and years of service): n/a

Current Position and Employer (number of years in this position): Madeleine L. Lecso, Attorney at Law - 20 years

Previous Employment and Dates: none

List no more than five of your significant community or charitable activities:

- 1.) Arbitrator Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court
- 2.) Guardian Ad Litem Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court
- 3.) Cleveland Area Board of Realtors
- 4.) Zonta International
- 5.) Bedford Garden Club

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