

**Michael J. Shelton**

**v**

**MUR #5350**

**Jan Schneider, Candidate**

**Schneider for Congress**

**Jan Schneider, Treasurer Carroll F. Johnson, Treasurer**

**DECLARATION OF JOSHUA TRAINOR**

Joshua Trainor declares and states:

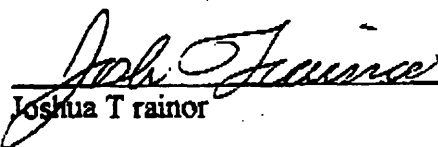
1. I am over the age of 18 and competent to make this declaration.
2. I am a citizen of the United States.
3. Jan Schneider, who was a Democratic candidate for the United States House of Representatives for the Florida 13<sup>th</sup> Congressional District in 2002, is my step-father, Seth Schneider's, sister.
4. During the period of the primary election, I wrote a check for \$2,000 to Schneider for Congress, designated as \$1,000 for the primary election and \$1,000 for the general election. Before turning over the check, I was informed by that, if Jan was unsuccessful in the primary, the second \$1,000 would be returned.
5. Contrary to the accusation in the Affidavit by Michael Shelton, my contributions to Jan's campaigns were not made from funds provided by Harold Schneider, or anyone else for that purpose. No part of the funds represented the proceeds of any gift, the purpose of which was to provide funds to be contributed. I wanted to help Jan seek election to Congress, and my decisions in this regard were not controlled by any other individual.

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6. I will be glad to assist the Federal Election Commission by providing any further information that may be necessary or desirable. The FEC has my address, and my phone number is 508-994-5052.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on March 21, 2003.

  
Joshua T rainor