

"I've had a good life but I've always been lucky to have great employees, most of whom have worked all their lives in this business. It's the people who keep you in business—not just the customers, but the people who work with you."

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. President, I wish to inform all Senators that on Friday, May 25, 2012, the Committee on Rules and Administration adopted amendments to the following regulations:

Senate Office Building Regulations; and
Smoking Policy—Rules X, Rules for Regulation of Senate Wing.

These regulations as amended are effective immediately.

Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the regulations as amended be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the material was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

RULE X

Smoking is prohibited in all public places and unassigned space within the Senate Wing of the Capitol, the Senate Office Buildings, and within twenty five feet from the entrances thereto. Smoking is also prohibited under the carriage entrance and the East Portico connected to the Senate Wing of the Capitol. Each Senator, Chairman of a Committee (after consultation with the Ranking Member), the Secretary of the Senate, the Sergeant at Arms, the Architect of the Capitol, the Chaplain, and heads of support organizations assigned space in the Senate Wing of the Capitol or the Senate Office Buildings may establish individual smoking policies for office space assigned to them.

SENATE OFFICE BUILDING REGULATIONS

The members of the Committee on Rules and Administration hereby issue the following regulations:

ARTICLE I—DEFINITIONS

Sec. 101. As used in these regulations, the term—

(1) "Senate Office Buildings" means the Richard Brevard Russell Office Building, the Everett McKinley Dirksen Office Building, the Philip A. Hart Office Building, the garages used in connection with such Buildings, all buildings and other structures (other than the Capitol Building or any part thereof) under the jurisdiction and control of the United States Senate, and all subways and enclosed passages connecting two or more such buildings or structures and the United States Capitol Building;

(2) "Authorized person" means—

a. Any Member of Congress; or
b. Any officer or employee of the Senate or of any Member thereof, any officer or employee of the Congress, or any officer or employee of any committee or subcommittee of the Senate or of the Congress;

(3) "Credentialed Member of the Press or Media of News Dissemination" means any reporter for a newspaper or periodical, reporter of news or press association requiring telegraph service to his/her membership, or a reporter for news dissemination through radio, wire, wireless, and similar media of transmission, who is authorized to use the reporter's galleries in the House of Representatives or the Senate, or any other adjoining rooms

or facilities made available for the use of the media of news dissemination.

(4) "Auxiliary Personnel" means any employee of a daily newspaper or periodical, news or press association, or of any radio, wire, wireless or similar media, whose services are necessary in connection with any "Credentialed Member of the Press or Media of News Dissemination" carrying out his duties as such.

(5) "Contract Employee" means any individual who is an officer or employee of any corporation or other entity, pursuant to any contract or other agreement entered into between such corporation or entity and an officer or employee of the United States Senate, or the Congress, or any committee or subcommittee thereof.

ARTICLE II—CLOSING TIME FOR THE SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS

Sec. 201. On and after the effective date of these regulations, the Senate Office Buildings shall be closed to any individual other than an Authorized person, Credentialed Member of the Press or Media of News Dissemination, or Contract Employee or an individual within the purview of section 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 401, 402, 403, or 404 of these regulations as follows:

(1) The Senate Office Buildings shall be closed Monday through Friday from 8:00 p.m. until 7:00 a.m. on the next business day, except during published recess hours when such buildings are closed at 7:00 p.m.

(2) The Senate Office Buildings shall be closed for all National holidays from 8:00 p.m. on the day preceding such holiday until 7:00 a.m. on the next business day following such holiday unless such buildings are otherwise closed in accordance with clause (1) of this section.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (1), and (2), of this section, the Senate Office Buildings shall be open to the public all times during which the Senate is in session, except that the Senate Office Buildings shall be closed to the public after the expiration of the thirty minute period following the termination of such session unless such session is terminated during the period that such Buildings are not otherwise closed to the general public in accordance with paragraphs (1), or (2), of this section.

(4) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (1), (2), and (3) of this section, the Rules Committee may alter these hours for any purpose in consultation with the U.S. Capitol Police and the Sergeant at Arms.

ARTICLE III—INDIVIDUALS ENTITLED TO ADMISSION TO THE SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS

Sec. 301. Any individual shall be permitted to enter or remain in the Senate Office Buildings during any period that such Buildings are closed, if such individual is accompanied by a Member of Congress or other authorized person.

Sec. 302. Any individual shall be permitted to enter or remain in the Senate Office Buildings during any period that such Buildings are closed, if such individual has a prior appointment to meet with any Senator or authorized person. In no case shall such individual be permitted by reason of this section to remain in the Senate Office Buildings following the termination of appointment.

Sec. 303. Any individual shall be permitted to enter or remain in the Senate Office Buildings during any period that such Buildings are closed, for the purpose of attending any hearing before, or any deliberations of, any committee or subcommittee of the Senate or the Congress, or special event authorized by the Senate which is open to the pub-

lic. In no case shall such individual be authorized by reason of this section to remain in any part of the Senate Office Buildings other than such part within which such hearing or deliberations or special event authorized by the Senate are being conducted or carried out, or to remain in the Senate Office Buildings following the adjournment or recess of such hearing or deliberations.

Sec. 304. (a) Any individual shall be permitted to enter or remain in the Senate Office Buildings during any period that such buildings are closed, for the purpose of attending any hearing before, or any deliberations of, any committee or subcommittee of the Senate or of the Congress, which is being conducted within such Buildings, and which is not open to the public, if the presence of such individual at such hearing or deliberations is authorized or required by the Chairman of such committee or subcommittee. In no case shall such individual be authorized by reason of this section to enter or remain in any part of the Senate Office Buildings other than such part within which such hearing or deliberations are being conducted or carried out, or to remain in the Senate Office Buildings following the adjournment or recess of such hearing or deliberations.

(b) Nothing in these regulations shall be construed as prohibiting any Credentialed Member of the Press or Media of News Dissemination or Auxiliary Personnel approved by the Superintendent of the House or Senate Press Gallery, Press Photographers Gallery, Radio-Television Gallery, or Periodical Press Gallery, from entering or remaining in the Senate Office Buildings within which such hearings or deliberations are being conducted, but such member or personnel shall not be authorized, by reason of this subsection to attend any such hearing or deliberation which is not open to the public.

Sec. 305. Nothing in these regulations shall be construed as prohibiting any Credentialed Member of the Press or Media of News Dissemination or Auxiliary Personnel approved by the Superintendent of the House or Senate Press Gallery, Press Photographers Gallery, Radio-Television Gallery, or Periodical Press Gallery, from entering or remaining in the Senate Office Buildings during any period that such Buildings are closed, for the purpose of carrying out his duties as such, or utilizing any rooms or facilities set aside for the use of such member.

Sec. 306. Nothing in these regulations shall be construed as prohibiting any employee of a Member of the House of Representatives, or any officer or employee of the House of Representatives, or of any committee or subcommittee of the House of Representatives, or any individual in the company of any such officer or employee, from entering the Senate Office Buildings during periods that such Buildings are closed, solely for the purpose of utilizing such Buildings as a passageway, except that such officer or employee and individual shall be required to comply with the provisions of section 404 (a).

Sec. 307. A Contract Employee who is authorized to perform services or other duties within the Senate Office Buildings, shall be permitted to enter or remain within the Senate Office Buildings, during any period that such Buildings are closed, if such individual's entry or remaining therein is necessary in connection with the performance of such services or the discharge of such duties as provided for under the aforementioned contract or agreement. All Contract Employees are required to obtain and display a valid Congressional Identification Badge. No Contract Employees shall be authorized by reason of this section to enter or remain in any

part of the Senate Office Buildings other than such part within which such services are to be performed or such duties discharged, or to remain in such Buildings following the completion of such services or duties.

ARTICLE IV—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Sec. 401. Nothing in these regulations shall be construed as prohibiting any individual from entering or remaining in the Senate Office Buildings during any period that such Buildings or part thereof are closed, if such individual's entering or remaining therein is necessary in connection with the health or safety of any other individuals therein, the protection of life or property therein, or any other emergency requiring the entering or remaining of such individual within the Senate Office Buildings or such part.

Sec. 402. In any case in which a function or other activity is held by any authorized person in any office or other room assigned to such person and located in the Senate Office Buildings or in which a function or other activity is held by any Member of the Senate in a room located in such Buildings and which is made available to such Member for that purpose by the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, any individual shall be permitted to enter or remain in such Buildings during any period that such Buildings are closed for the purpose of attending such function or activity, if such individual is there by reason of an invitation extended by such authorized person. In no case shall such individual be permitted by reason of this section to enter or remain in any part of the Senate Office Buildings other than such part within which such function or activity is being carried out, or to remain in such Buildings following the termination of such function or activity.

Sec. 403. (a) The Sergeant at Arms of the Senate, or designee, or the United States Capitol Police is authorized, at any time, to issue an order temporarily closing the Senate Office Buildings or any part or area thereof, or temporarily cordoning off any part or area of the Senate Office Buildings, if he/she or designee determines that such closing or cordoning off is necessary in order to assure the security or safety of any Member of Congress, the President of the United States, the Vice President of the United States, or any other person, the preservation of the peace or good order, the securing of the Senate Office Buildings from defacement, or the protection of the public property therein.

(b) No individual (other than an authorized person or an individual within the purview of Section 401 of these regulations) shall be permitted to enter or remain in the Senate Office Buildings, or any part or other area of any such Buildings, during any period that such Buildings, part, or area are closed pursuant to subsection (a); except that nothing in this section shall be construed as prohibiting any individual accompanied by a Member of the Senate from accompanying such Member to an office or other room assigned to that Member notwithstanding the fact that such office or room is located within any such Buildings, part, or area closed pursuant to this section, but such individual shall not be authorized to remain in any part of such Buildings other than that part within which such office or room is located.

Sec. 404. (a) Except to the extent otherwise provided in subsection (b) of this section, any individual, including an authorized person (other than a Member of Congress) authorized pursuant to these regulations to enter or remain in the Senate Office Build-

ings during the period that such Buildings are closed pursuant to these regulations, shall be required to present a valid Congressional Identification Badge, or in the case of visitors, a valid government-issued ID, and to sign in or out, or both (as the case may be).

(b) (1) The provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall not be applicable with respect to any individual or individuals who are accompanied by a Member of Congress, except that the Officer on duty at the affected entrance shall record on the sign-in or sign-out record, or both (as the case may be), the name of the Member of Congress, the number of such individuals whom the Member is accompanying, the time such Member and individual or individuals were checked-in, or checked-out, or both (as the case may be), and their destination within the Senate Office Buildings following their entry.

(2) The provisions of subsection (a) of this section will not be applicable with respect to any individual within the purview of section 401 of this regulation who is entering or leaving the Senate Office Buildings under circumstances involving an emergency, or to any authorized person during the period of 8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. each calendar day, if such person is otherwise identified by the officer at the affected entrance.

Sec. 405. (a) In recognition of the obligation imposed on the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration for the control and supervision of the Senate Office Buildings, on and after the effective date of these regulations, no individual shall:

(1) Act in a manner so as to cause a disturbance unreasonably interfering with the preservation of peace and good therein; or

(2) Congregate with another individual or individuals in any corridor, hallway, passageway, rotunda, or other public space in the Senate Office Buildings in a manner so as to:

a. Unreasonably interfere with the passing or movement of any other individual through such corridor, hallway, passageway, rotunda or other public space; or

b. Create any unreasonable risk to such works of art or other public property therein;

(b) And in no case shall any individual, at any time, sit, lie, or crouch down upon the floor or any other area of such corridor, hallway, passageway, rotunda, or other public space (including sitting, lying or crouching on any chair, bench, cot, stool, or other device) except that nothing in this section shall be construed as prohibiting any individual (not otherwise in violation of this section) from sitting on any chair, bench, cot, stool, or other device authorized for such purposes by the Congress, the Senate, or any committee or subcommittee thereof, or any officers of the Congress, or the Senate.

(c) If any individual engaging in any conduct prohibited by this section, when ordered by any officer of the U.S. Capitol Police to cease and desist in such conduct, refuses or fails to do so, such individual shall, when ordered by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, or designee immediately leave the Senate Office Buildings by means of the closest available exit. The refusal or failure of such individual to immediately so leave such Buildings after being ordered to do so by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate or designee shall constitute an unlawful remaining in the Senate Office Buildings subject to the criminal penalty provision in 22 D.C. Code § 3302.

(d) In any case in which an individual enters or remains in the Senate Office Build-

ings in violation of these regulations, such individual, when ordered by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate or designee to leave such Buildings, shall immediately leave the Senate Office Buildings by means of the closest available exit. The refusal or failure of such individual to leave after being so ordered shall constitute an unlawful remaining in Senate Office Buildings subject to the criminal penalty provisions in 22 D.C. Code § 3302.

ARTICLE V—PACKAGE INSPECTION

Sec. 501 (a) On and after the effective date of these regulations, any individual entering the Senate Office Buildings carrying or having any briefcase, attaché case, luggage, tote bag, shopping bag, or other container or item the contents of which are not readily visible to the officer or member of the Capitol Police on duty, shall be required to submit such item to the officer on duty for security screening.

(b) On and after the effective date of these regulations, the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall not be applicable with respect to any individual entering the Senate Office Buildings carrying or having a briefcase, attaché case, or other container or item referred to in subsection (a) of this section which, as reported by such individual, contains classified documents or materials under Presidential Seal, delivered by credentialed U.S. Government carriers. Such items will be subjected to electronic inspection or X-ray but shall not be opened.

(c) No sealed packages or envelopes shall be delivered directly into any Senate Office Building. Any sealed envelopes or packages must be delivered to the Congressional Acceptance Site (CAS) for inspection, testing and retention. Once cleared, the items will be delivered to the office of the addressee by Senate Post Office employees who will obtain a signature from the recipient.

(d) If any individual subject to the requirement of subsections (a), (b), or (c) of this section, when ordered by an officer of the U.S. Capitol Police to comply refuses or fails to do so, such individual shall, when ordered by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, or designee immediately leave the Senate Office Buildings by means of the closest available exit. The refusal or failure of such individual to immediately so leave such Buildings after being so ordered shall constitute an unlawful remaining in the Senate Office Buildings subject to the criminal penalty provisions in 22 D.C. Code § 3302.

(e) The provisions of this section shall not be applicable with respect to any Member of Congress.

ARTICLE VI—EFFECTIVE DATE

Sec. 601. These regulations shall take effect as of the date of their approval.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

TRIBUTE TO ANDREW LIEPMAN

• Mrs. FEINSTEIN. Mr. President, Today I wish to recognize an unsung hero of the U.S. intelligence community and upstanding San Franciscan, Mr. Andrew Liepman, who is retiring from the U.S. Government after 30 years of service.

I came to know Andy when he joined the National Counterterrorism Center, or NCTC, as the Deputy Director of Intelligence in 2006. He has served in that position and as Principal Deputy Director for the past 6 years. Andy has been