

member of the Cumberland Private Industry Council, the Cumberland Valley ADD Board, and the London-Laurel County Tourist Commission. Mr. McKnight serves as a member and chairman of the 13th Regional Vocational Advisory Council and was a 25-year member on the Corbin Tri-County Joint Industrial Development Authority. He was also honored by the Laurel County Homecoming Festival for his service to the community in 2007.

In 1989, Delford completed construction on his "dream executive home" in London, Kentucky, and he recently completed the construction and landscaping on his second home in Venice, Florida. He has recently quietly retired, although he still helps with management decisions regarding his investments and business interest. Delford has been married to Lottie Gail since January 2001 after his first wife, Helen, died of cancer. Delford and Lottie Gail have a combined family of 5 children and 12 grandchildren.

Delford is still an active member of the Laurel community today, serving as a deacon and Sunday school teacher at United Baptist Church, a member of the Laurel County Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Laurel County Vocational Advisory Council, and a member of the London-Laurel County Tourist Commission.

At this time I ask my U.S. Senate colleagues to join me in recognizing Mr. Delford McKnight for his many contributions to the Laurel County community and the Commonwealth of Kentucky. An article from the Laurel County-area publication the *Sentinel-Echo* recently highlighted Mr. McKnight's success and accomplishments. I ask unanimous consent that said article be printed in the *RECORD*.

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

[From the *Sentinel-Echo*, Apr. 30, 2012]
TAKING CHANCES PAID OFF FOR MCKNIGHT
(By Nita Johnson)

Variety and challenges could well describe the life of Laurel native Delford McKnight. "I always like a challenge," McKnight said, "and I like variety."

While his office is testimony to a variety of collectibles and what-nots, so is his life's work.

With his roots in carpentry and farming, McKnight graduated from Bush High School and attended the University of Kentucky.

"I went for a year, quit, and got married," he said.

He and his wife, Helen Owens McKnight, who died from cancer in 2000, ran a Laundromat and managed a rental apartment in Lexington while Delford also worked for a commercial construction company.

In 1965, the McKnights returned to their hometown, where Delford landed a job with Hacker Brothers construction firm. Four years later, McKnight and partner Harold McPhetridge launched McKnight and Associates, which has constructed and/or renovated many of the buildings in the county.

His first "big" job came with the construction of the Clay County Vocational School, then getting the contract to build the Board of Education building in Manchester. He has

since overseen the renovation of the first building of the Laurel campus of Somerset Community College, the former Interstate Coal offices on the property now known as College Park. His company built the former administration building, now known as the McDaniel Learning Center. He built North Laurel Middle School, Hunter Hills and the new Bush elementary schools as well as having his hand in school construction in Clay and Perry counties. McKnight and Associates landed the contract for the Eastern Kentucky University site in Clay County and the University of Kentucky site in Harlan.

Though he credits his family background of carpentry and farming for sparking his interest in the construction business, he said the shop and vocational agriculture classes in high school solidified his choice of careers.

"I was raised on a farm and I think I could have been a farmer just as easily as I could do construction," he said. "But I knew more about commercial construction than about building houses, so that's what I pursued. I took college prep classes in high school but I've utilized the skills in agriculture and shop classes more than any college prep class I had."

A big believer in education, McKnight encourages students to pursue a field they enjoy and to bask in the opportunities they receive through their education and training courses.

"Get as much education as you possibly can, whether it's job training or vocational training or whatever you're interested in," he continued. "You always need to continue to learn. Find something you like to do and pursue it."

McKnight's career choice also led to his involvement with community activities. In the early 1970s, his firm landed the contract for the Kentucky Fried Chicken building in London. Later on, he was involved in the renovation of Harland Sanders's first restaurant—Sanders Cafe and the Corbin KFC. He also built the London-Laurel County Tourism office and became familiar with board members for that organization. When he kept hearing about increasing tourism in Kentucky through festivals, it was he who approached then-tourism director Ken Harvey and long-time board member Caner Cornett with the idea of the World Chicken Festival that highlighted Sanders's achievements worldwide.

But being one of the "firsts" involved in the highly ranked fall festival is just one more of McKnight's "firsts."

While a student at UK in 1963, McKnight was one of those freshmen who challenged the football team to a snowball fight that has now become a tradition. Though he does not to this day recommend anyone challenge a UK football player in any form of physical challenge, he still laughs about the experience.

He was the sole sixth-grade student at the one-room Langnau School before having to attend Bush Elementary the following year as one of 20 other seventh-grade students.

He was the first to bring the idea of storage buildings to London—a challenge for both his crews as well as a business venture.

"I kept seeing these storage buildings in bigger towns and wondered if there would be a need for that in London," he explained. "Self-storage actually began in California. The ones I built were used as an experiment here, mostly to keep my men working. We had a lull after building the (McKnight) apartments and I mainly just wanted to keep the men working so we built the storage units. It was one of the first ones east of the Mississippi and was unheard of in small towns, but now look around and see how many storage buildings there are around here."

McKnight's love of variety also earned him a spot in the March/April 1991 edition of *Kentucky Builder* for his uniquely styled home in London. He has carried that variable interest into the design of his home in Florida that he shares with wife of more than 11 years, Lottie Gail.

"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 dis-

charged, 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 Buildings 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 Buildings 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 a friend to the Senate Intelligence Committee and a dedicated leader of our Nation's counterterrorism efforts. I am sorry to see him leave the NCTC and the government but wish him the very best as he plots his future course.

Andy has had a distinguished career in the intelligence community since he joined the CIA in 1982. He served in multiple positions at the CIA, at the Office of Near East and South Asian

Analysis, the Office of Iraq Analysis, and the Office of Terrorism Analysis in the Counterterrorism Center. He also worked in a variety of assignments outside the CIA before coming to the NCTC, including time at the Department of State, the Nonproliferation Center, and the National Intelligence Council.

But it was during his time at the NCTC that Andy came to be one of the Nation's top counterterrorism officials and a true leader of the intelligence community. He has worked closely with the NCTC's three Directors: ADM Scott Redd, Michael Leiter, and now Matt Olsen. And he has diligently kept the Senate Intelligence Committee informed on the terrorist threat—as a hearing witness and as a briefer to Senators and staff and also on the phone to describe imminent or breaking counterterrorism operations.

When the committee has had to resolve a problem in the counterterrorism arena, whether getting information or fixing processes that weren't working, Andy was usually the person to solve it.

He has served with a direct, frank professional manner, although Andy has quite the reputation for being a lively and fun boss as well.

Mr. Liepman's legacy is the strength and reputation of the National Counterterrorism Center and particularly its Directorate of Intelligence. Since its creation in 2005, the NCTC has developed into a world-class analytic organization. It produces thousands of reports a year, from hour-to-hour situational reports when terrorist threats are unfolding, to daily analyses, to detailed, comprehensive products. The NCTC leads interagency reviews and speaks for the intelligence community on key intelligence questions. It produces tailored reports to answer policy questions—I recently requested one myself, on whether the Haqqani Network in Pakistan meets the criteria to be named a foreign terrorist organization.

Under Andy's leadership, along with the Directors with whom he has worked, the National Counterterrorism Center has also grown to fill the role for which it was created. Among other things, the NCTC now includes Pursuit Groups, formed after the Christmas Day 2009 attempted airline bombing, to make sure that no terrorism lead goes unchecked. The center is the single repository of the government's definitive terrorism databases, which supports the various watchlists that keep suspected terrorists from boarding a plane or crossing the border. The NCTC plays a key role in coordinating the government's preparation and response to terrorist events, enhancing border and transportation security, and sharing terrorism-related intelligence with other intelligence agencies, the rest of the Federal Government, and with State, local, and tribal partners.

A lasting reflection of Andy's work is the NCTC workforce itself. Many of its