Press Release

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**Press Conference: Sen. John McCain (R-AZ) and Sen. Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI)**

Seoul, August 26, 2013 – U.S. Sen. John McCain (R-AZ) and Sen. Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI) will hold press conference **at 16:45 on Monday**, August 26 in the auditorium at the Asan Institute for Policy Studies.

It is open for the media but R.S.V.P. is required by 12 p.m. Monday, August 26.

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**Biographies**



**John McCain**

John McCain entered the Naval Academy in June of 1954.

He served in the United States Navy until 1981.

He was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives from Arizona

in 1982 and elected to the United States Senate in 1986.

He was the Republican Party’s nominee for president

in the 2008 election.

**Sheldon Whitehouse**

Sheldon Whitehouse, a graduate of Yale University and

the University of Virginia School of Law, was nominated

by President Bill Clinton to serve as Rhode Island’s

United States Attorney in 1994.

He was the Attorney General of Rhode Island from 1998 to 2003

and elected to the United States Senate in 2006.