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Lights burn inside U.S. Supreme Court offices May 2 in Washington, after the leak of a draft majority opinion written by Justice Samuel Alito preparing for a majority of the court to overturn the landmark *Roe v. Wade* abortion rights decision later this year. (CNS/Reuters/Jonathan Ernst)



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