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Campbell stated the following about his new role, **"It is clear that the new Democratic Majority plans to spend the next two years increasing spending and raising taxes to try to pay for it. It is our responsibility, as fiscal conservatives to be a leading voice in opposition to these policies. As the chairman of the RSC's Budget and Spending task force, I am committed to confronting the Democrats as they try to tax and spend America out of economic prosperity."**

Campbell was appointed to the position by U.S. Rep. Jeb Hensarling (R-Texas), Chairman of the Republican Study Committee. Hensarling commented that, "Conservatives can count on John Campbell to be a leader in our effort to stifle Democratic attempts to raise taxes and increase spending. With a background in tax accounting, Congressman Campbell brings a wealth of knowledge that will prove invaluable as we work to protect the wallets of the American people from Democrat tax raids."

**"There is no denying that in recent years Congress, even under Republican control, has strayed from the principals of fiscal conservatism, and this is one reason we now find ourselves in the minority. It is now time for conservatives in Congress to lead the Republican party back to a path of fiscal responsibility and provide the American people with an alternative to the agenda of reckless spending being proposed by the Democrats,"** added Campbell.

The Republican Study Committee is comprised of 107 members and is the most prominent caucus of fiscal and social conservatives in the House of Representatives. The group's Budget and Spending Taskforce is responsible for advancing fiscally responsible solutions to issues related to Budget and Spending.