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**MR. JAMES C. COURI  
APPOINTED TO  
CONGRESSIONAL BUSINESS COMMISSION**

Washington D.C. - Congressman Jim Ryun of Kansas announced today that Mr. James C. Couri of New York has been selected to serve the state of New York on the new Congressional Business Commission.

The **CONGRESSIONAL BUSINESS COMMISSION (CBC)** is an elite group of leading business people and political strategists who will be advising the Republican Leadership on how to protect the Republican Majority in the House in the Fall Elections.

Mr. Couri was selected based on outstanding contributions as an Honorary Chairman of the Party's Business Advisory Council. On the CBC, Mr. Couri is expected to play a key role in helping the Party craft their campaign strategy for the 2002 elections. The CBC is committed to supporting and recruiting fiscally conservative candidates who are committed to tax reduction and relief.

Commenting on Mr. Couri's selection, Congressman Ryun said, "The 2002 election will be critical in determining the course of our nation. I am thrilled to have Mr. Couri's expertise and input as a resource as we head toward November."

Mr. Couri will also be listed on the Congressional Business Honor Roll, which will be displayed in the Republican Headquarters Building in Washington.

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