

**“Textile Blues: Tar Heels and Asian Tigers”
Letter to the Editor Assignment**

Imagine how U.S. Senator Elizabeth Dole, a textile worker, or a representative from the International Textile Group would respond to Paul Messino’s article, “Textile Blues: Tar Heels and Asian Tigers.”

Choose one of their roles (U.S. Senator Dole, textile worker, or representative from International Textile Group) and write a letter to the editor in response to the Messino article.

Your letter to the editor:

- a. must be written from the perspective of your chosen role
- b. must address at least two points made by Messino
- c. should clearly convey whether your chosen perspective agrees or disagrees with Messino
- d. can include up to 200 words