

NEW WATERPROOF CLOTHING

There are few experiences as unpleasant as being **(0)** ^{bitterly} cold and dripping wet on board a boat. The **(25)** that you may be several hours away from warm, dry clothing is enough to slow down even the **(26)** sailor.

However, recent **(27)** developments in the types of material used to make waterproof clothes have, hopefully, put an end to the **(28)** of the sailor. New suits, trousers and jackets have been designed which allow people to stay warm and dry at sea and can be worn **(29)** for days on end.

The new clothing is by no means cheap, but that will not stop it from selling well, and not just in the sailing market. **(30)** previous types of waterproof clothing, which tended to leave the wearer hot, sweaty and sticky even after a **(31)** short burst of **(32)** activity, these new clothes are manufactured with an **(33)** inner layer. This is made of a special material which allows the clothes to 'breathe' – in other words, body heat can escape so that the body stays dry, but still maintains its **(34)** in all weathers.

BITTER
KNOW

TOUGH

SCIENCE
SUFFER

COMFORT

LIKE

RELATIVE
ENERGY
ADDITION

WARM