

# New safety equipment designed by SOS Marine

We all strive to have improvements in safety: even more exciting when such improvements are designed specifically for your operational requirements.

SOS Marine is well placed to offer viable solutions for our customers and has experience in meeting the toughest demands.

Our longstanding relationships with some of the world's leading component suppliers allows us to provide a large range of "thinking outside the square" variations of quality designed safety products.

SOS Marine is an Australian owned company and Defence Contractor, with decades of experience in Research and Development of innovative safety products. A proven track record and commitment has assisted our company achieve large contracts with the Australian Navy for the supply of Special Duties Life Jackets and Boarding Party Vests, as seen on the Australian TV series 'Sea Patrol'.

We are proud to have supplied Boarding Party Life Jackets to both the Australian and New Zealand navies. SOS Marine Life



Jackets are being used by Singapore Defence, Malaysian Defence and Customs, Royal Brunei Navy and just last year Life Jackets to the Gulf Region Defence Forces.

SOS Marine has worked with the development team from the Australian Naval Division, NASPO, to develop a lifting strop to supersede the previous design. From the Navy's first discussion with SOS Marine, it took 3 - 4 years for the development of this product. It is now in use around the world.

Being best known for our role as a Defence Supplier, SOS Marine also sells a wide range of products to the Australian and New Zealand Customs, Federal and State Water Police, National Parks & Wildlife, Australian Port Authorities, and mining safety operations.

We have introduced some of the performance based elements into our designs by combining the Inflatable PFD and Safety Harness - this was used by the salvage crews in the recovery of the grounded bulk carrier 'Pasha Bulka' from Newcastle beach.

SOS Marine's Inflatable Marker Dan Buoy is another pioneer. Inflating automatically when it hits the water, it is designed to assist in searching for persons overboard and marking locations.

The Diver Recovery Vest is a world's first in safety in Marine Salvage. There is no other product with the design and



construction standard and quality of this vest. This vest greatly improves the level of safety and capability by combining a safety harness, quick release weight system, buoyancy compensator and work vest into this one unit. Previously there has been a requirement to don three separate items.

This patented winning invention was featured on ABC TV's New Inventors. <<http://www.abc.net/tv/newinventors/txt/s2073106.htm>>

Together with our customers we are working to support often complex and 'next generation' capabilities. There are very few personalised safety equipment manufacturers of this type in the world. SOS Marine is proud to be Australian, committed to providing quality safety equipment and *doing things differently!*

