

ABSTRACT**WATERPROOF SHOE HAVING WATERPROOF LINING SLEEVE**

A shoe includes an upper 1 with a bottom end 12 connected to an insole 4 and an outsole 5. A waterproof lining sleeve 2 is mounted inside the upper 1 and has a bottom open end 21 bonded adhesively to an inner surface of the upper 1 in a waterproof manner without extending to the bottom end 12 of the upper 1. The bottom open end 21 of the lining sleeve 2 forms a waterproof seam 9 with the upper 1 to prevent water invading the space between the lining sleeve 2 and the upper 1 from flowing to the bottom end 12 of the upper 1. The waterproof seam 9 is kept at a level higher than an outer peripheral end 51 of the outsole 5 so as to prevent the invading water from reaching a level lower than the outer peripheral end 51 of the outsole 5. Preferably, a waterproof tape 3A, 3B is attached to an inner surfaces of the bottom open end 21 of the lining sleeve 2 and the upper 1 to further seal the seam.

Figure 3 is suggested for publication.