

Informations techniques/Technical Matters

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SUBJECT: LUBRICATION OF TIE ROD ENDS (BALL JOINTS) ON ALL "71" MODELS.

It is of prime importance to lubricate periodically (with LIGHT MACHINE OIL) the ball joints of the steering tie rod ends on all 1971 models. Lack of lubrication on these ball joints will produce premature wear and may even require a change over of the tie rod end(s).

Therefore at the pre-delivery inspection and at every time a customer's machine is in your shop for service, lubricate with few drops of oil the (4) ball joints. At the same time it is also advisable to check the general condition of these joints.

The CUSTOMERS MUST BE ASSURED of this particular maintenance point.

Ask them to lubricate the joints EVERY 10 HRS. OF OPERATION OR AT EVERY 2

FULL TANKS OF FUEL.

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