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Joystick Piloting Steering Actuator Maintenance

Scope

Worldwide

Models Affected

All Joystick Piloting Models

Situation

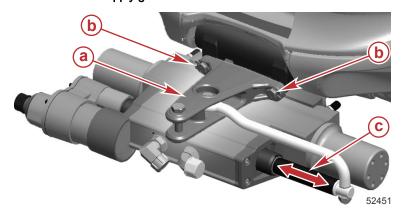
There is no need to apply grease to the Joystick Piloting steering actuator rod during any maintenance activity.

Grease that is applied to the actuator rod may cause the internal seals to lift and pass water into the sealed portion of the actuator. This could potentially lead to internal corrosion that may damage the actuator.

Correction

The actuator rod does not require lubrication. Do not apply grease or lubricants to the actuator rod. If grease is present extend the actuator fully and remove the grease. The actuator rod is nickel plated stainless steel and it will not corrode.

IMPORTANT: Do not apply grease or lubricants to the actuator rod.



a - Extension arm

b - Screw (2)

c - Actuator rod

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