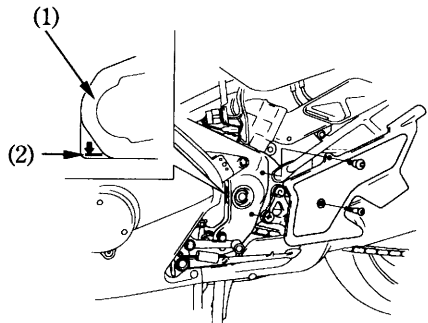


DRIVE CHAIN SLIDER

(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 61).

Check the chain slider (1) for wear.

The chain slider must be replaced if it is worn to the wear limit line (2). For replacement, see your authorized Honda dealer.



(1) Chain slider

(2) Wear limit line

FRONT AND REAR SUSPENSION INSPECTION

(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 61).

1. Check the fork assembly by locking the front brake and pumping the fork up and down vigorously. Suspension action should be smooth and there must be no oil leakage.
2. Swingarm bearings should be checked by pushing hard against the side of the rear wheel while the motorcycle is on the center stand. Free play indicates worn bearings.
3. Carefully inspect all front and rear suspension fasteners for tightness.