

## BATTERY

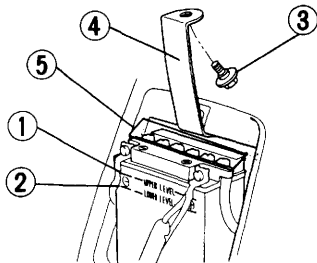
(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 47).

If the motorcycle is operated with insufficient battery electrolyte, sulfation and battery plate damage will occur.

If rapid loss of electrolyte is experienced, or if your battery seems to be weak, causing slow starting or other electrical problems, see your authorized Honda dealer.

### Battery electrolyte:

The battery is behind the battery box cover. Remove the battery box cover. Check the electrolyte level with the motorcycle in an upright position on level ground. The electrolyte level must be maintained between the **UPPER (1)** and **LOWER (2) LEVEL** marks on the side of the battery. If the electrolyte level is low, remove the bolt (3) and battery holder (4). Remove the battery filler caps (5). Carefully add distilled water to the **UPPER LEVEL** mark, using a small syringe or plastic funnel.



- (1) UPPER LEVEL
- (2) LOWER LEVEL
- (3) Bolt
- (4) Battery holder
- (5) Filler caps