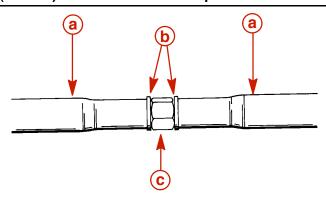


## **A WARNING**

When 2 couplers are connected together with coupler link rod, a lock washer must be used on each side of coupler link rod, and link rod must be torqued to 20 lb. ft. (27 N·m) into end of each coupler.



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- a Couplers Connected Together
- **b** Lock washers
- c Coupler Link Rod [Torque to 20 lb. ft. (27 Nm) into End of Each Coupler]

## **Maintenance Instructions**

Maintenance inspection is owner's responsibility and must be performed at intervals specified, following:

Normal Service - Every 50 hrs. of operation or 60 days (whichever comes first)

\*Severe Service - Every 25 hrs. of operation or 30 days (whichever comes first)

\*Operation in a salt water area is considered "Severe Service."

- Carefully check steering system components for wear. Replace worn parts.
- Check steering system fasteners to be sure that they are torqued to correct specifications.

**NOTE:** Ride-Guide Steering Cables are lubricated at the factory and require no additional lubrication at initial installation.

## **WARNING**

Core of each steering cable (transom end) must be fully retracted into cable housing before lubricating cable. If cable is lubricated while extended, hydraulic lock of cable could occur.

- 3. With core of Ride-Guide Steering Cable (transom end) fully retracted, lubricate transom end of steering cables thru grease fittings (a) with 2-4-C w/Teflon (92-825407A12). Lubricate exposed portion of cable ends (b) with 2-4-C w/Teflon.
- 4. Lubricate pivot points (c) of steering link rods and ball joints (d) of link rods/steering coupler with SAE 30W Motor Oil.