

 Note or mark the position of the anode/trim tab before loosening the bolt. The trim tab must be reinstalled in the original position otherwise the steering effort could be increased (photo #1).



2. Remove the anode/trim tab.

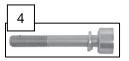
a. All models except V8
F300/F350 - remove the
rubber cover and bolt (12mm
socket) located on housing
above the anti-cavitation
plate (photo #2a).



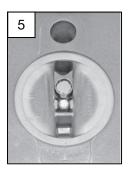
 b. V8 F300/F350 models – remove bolt (8mm internal hex wrench) located on the bottom side of anticavitation plate (photo#2b).



 Remove the existing lower unit bolt (14 mm) from inside the anode/trim tab pocket located on the bottom side of the anti-cavitation plate (photo #3).



 Install the supplied lock washer onto the McGard Lock Bolt. Apply marine lubricating grease to the length of the bolt (photo #4).



5. Thread the McGard Lock Bolt into the hole of the lower unit, using the McGard Key Socket and a 16 mm hex socket to tighten until finger tight (photos #5 & 5a).



The McGard Lower Unit Lock Bolt replaces the existing lower unit bolt located inside the anode/trim tab pocket on the bottom side of the anti-cavitation plate.

Lower Unit Lock Bolt Installation Instructions
Yamaha F/LF115 ~ F/LF350 L & X
Shaft Motors (*except F150 X shaft)
Also most Yamaha V4 & V6 Two Stroke Models

NOTE: Store the key in a safe location. When having service performed let the technician know your lower unit is equipped with a McGard lock and provide the key to allow removal.

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(4.7 kgf-m, 35 ff-lb) (photo #6).

7. Reinstall the anode/trim tab
(reverse steps 1 and 2) and tighten
the bolt to specified torque, 42 N-m
(4.2 kgf-m, 31 ff-lb). Verify the trim
tab is in the same position as
recorded before removal.
Reinstall rubber plug.

 Tighten the Lock Bolt using the Key Socket, 16 mm socket and torque wrench to the specified torque 47 N-m (4.7 kgf-m, 35 ft-lb) (photo #6).

