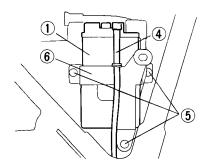
## BATTERY

(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 56). 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 electrical problems, see your Honda dealer.



(1) Battery

(5) Screws

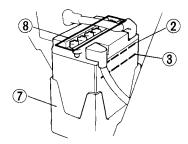
(4) Breather tube

(6) Battery holder

## Battery electrolyte:

The battery (1) is behind the right side cover. Remove the side cover to check the battery electrolyte. The electrolyte level must be maintained between the UPPER (2) and LOWER (3) LEVEL marks on the side of the battery. If the electrolyte level is low, disconnect the battery breather tube (4) from the battery outlet. Remove the three screws (5) and battery holder (6), and pull the battery (1) out with the battery cushion (7). Remove the battery filler caps (8).

Carefully add distilled water to the UPPER LEVEL mark using a small plastic funnel.



- (2) UPPER LEVEL mark (7) Battery cushion
- (3) LOWER LEVEL mark (8) Filler caps 7