

stroboscopic timing light will provide more precise timing.

When using a stroboscopic timing light to check the timing, idle the engine at 1,300 rpm.

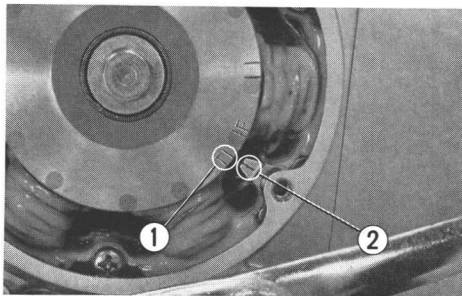
Perform the adjustment in the same manner as described on page 38.

Valve Tappet Clearance Adjustment

Excessive valve tappet clearance will cause tappet noise, and little or no clearance will cause valve damage and loss of power. Therefore, valve tappet clearance should be properly maintained.

Valve tappet clearance is checked with the engine cold.

1. Remove the generator cover and tappet adjusting hole caps.
2. Rotate the generator rotor counter-clockwise until the "T" mark ① on the generator rotor lines up with the index mark ② on the stator.



① "T" mark

② Index mark