



**Service
Bulletin**

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Subject: Parking Brake Bolt

Effected Model Numbers:

All Generation Two- 52" and 61" Mowing Deck ZTH Riding Mowers. (ZTH52xx/ ZTH61xx)

968999159 - ZTH5221KAA
968999160 - ZTH5223KAA
968999161 - ZTH5223KOA
968999162 - ZTH5223KOLA
968999163 - ZTH5225KOA
968999173 - ZTH5225KAA
968999164 - ZTH6123KOLA
968999165 - ZTH6125KOA
968999166 - ZTH6125KAA
968999171 - ZTH6126KOA

Service Information:

Large frame ZTH Riding Mowers may have the incorrect bolt type retaining the parking brake band in place. The brake band retainer bolts are supposed to be Grade 8, and Grade 5 bolts were accidentally used on some units.

The unit must be raised and placed on suitable jack stands and the rear wheels have to be removed, in order to see and identify the head of the brake band bolt.

These bolts, one (1) on each side, are identifiable by slash marks on the head of the bolt. The Grade 8 bolt will have six (6) slash marks as shown below. If grade 5 bolts with three (3) slash marks are identified, they should be replaced with the grade 8 bolts.



GRADE 5



GRADE 8

Note: If the brake band bolt is replaced, refer to the ZTH52/61 Operator's Manual for the correct procedure to adjust the parking brake.

Parts Information:

539105070 - Bolt, 3/8-16 x 3 - Grade 8