

RIGHT LENGTH BOLT REMINDER

***YOU'RE NMC,
TOO?! BUT YOU
LOOK OK TO ME!***

***WOULDJA BELIEVE IT:
ONE LITTLE BOLT
KNOCKED ME OUTTA
COMMISSION!***



Mechanics, one bolt can make the difference between a vehicle being mission-ready or NMC. Keep that in mind when it comes to installing the propeller shaft and universal joints on a vehicle from the M113A3 family.

Some mechanics are using a bolt, NSN 5305-01-216-7378, that is supposed to be used for attaching the output flange to the transmission. This bolt is about one inch too long for securing the prop shafts and U-joints, so it damages the output housing on the transmission.

The right bolt is NSN 5305-00-719-5239. It's just the right length for securing the prop shaft and U-joints without damaging the output housing.

