

## STARTING THE ENGINE

Your Sportrax is equipped with a gear position starter cut-off system. The engine cannot be started if the transmission is in a forward gear—unless the clutch lever is pulled in.

### Preparation

1. Select a level surface and lock the parking brake (page 21 ) before starting the engine.
2. Turn the fuel valve (1) and ignition switch (2) to ON.
3. Make sure the engine stop switch (3) is at RUN (  $\odot$  ).
4. Make sure that the transmission is in neutral by checking that the neutral indicator lamp (4) lights.

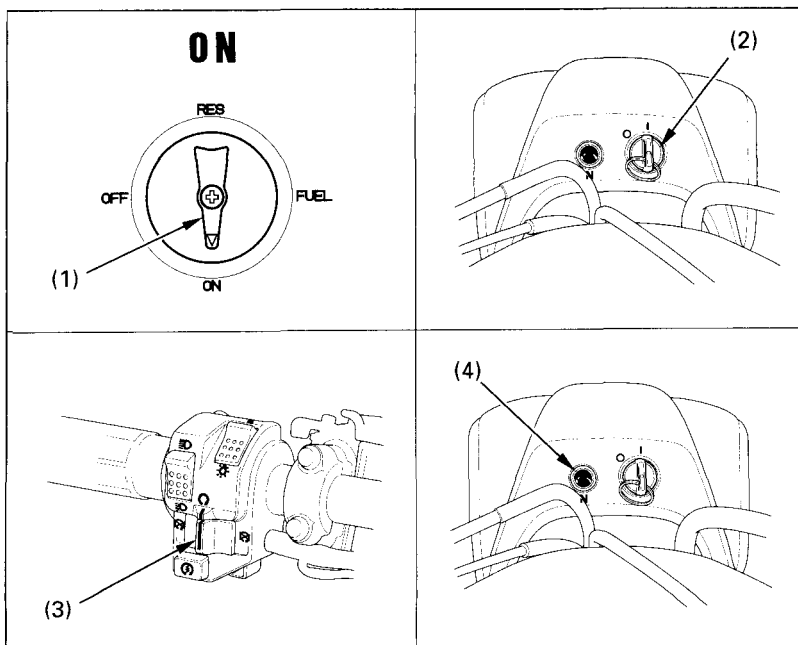


Fig. 3-8

(1) Fuel valve  
(2) Ignition switch

(3) Engine stop switch  
(4) Neutral indicator lamp