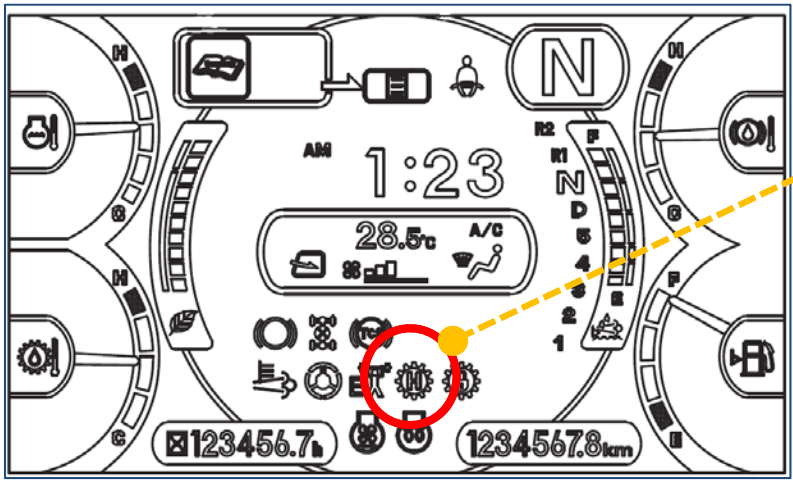


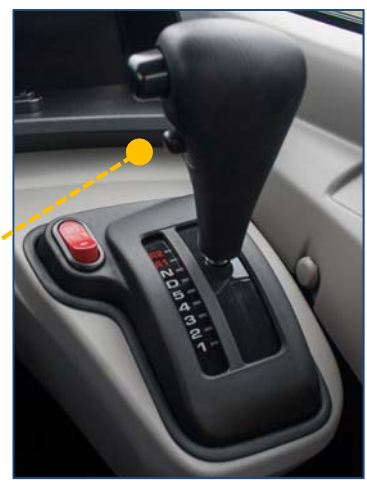
TIP OF THE WEEK

MODEL HM HAUL TRUCKS (-1/2/3/5)
 FEATURE SHIFT-HOLD FUNCTION
 STD / OPT STANDARD
 SUGGESTED SETTING APPLICATION DEPENDENT



**SHIFT HOLD
INDICATOR
LIGHT**

**SHIFT-HOLD
BUTTON**



SHIFT-HOLD FUNCTION

Komatsu articulated haul trucks are equipped standard with a shift-hold feature. The shift-hold feature is designed to limit the transmission from shifting into a higher gear once enabled.

To enable the shift-hold feature, the operator should press the button on the gear selection lever. Once enabled, an indicator light will be illuminated on the monitor. The truck will not shift into a higher gear however it may downshift to prevent engine stall. The shift-hold function can be cancelled by either moving the gear selection lever into another position or pressing the shift-hold button a second time.

Recommended application:

If the application results in the transmission hunting through gears (shifts up and down repeatedly in short intervals) as a result of grade, ground conditions, or load, the shift-hold function can be activated to hold the transmission in a lower gear. Benefits of this function include better overall performance, increased operator comfort, and reduced wear on driveline components.

For additional information, please consult the Product Bulletin, Operator's Manual or Shop Manual. Photos may include optional equipment.

