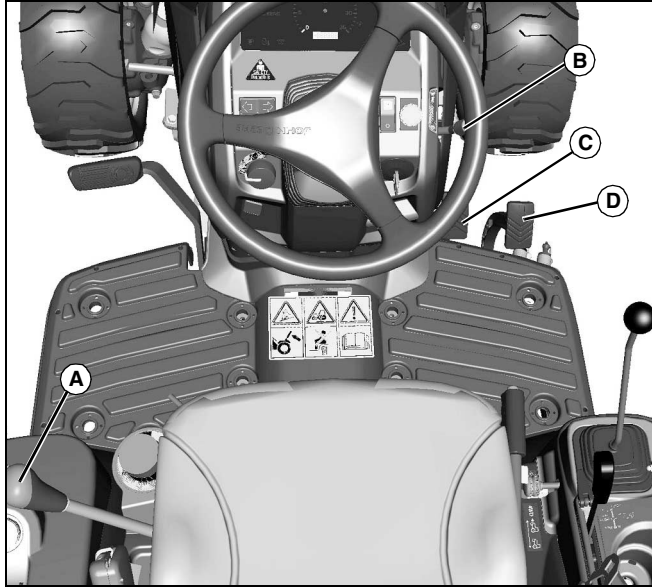


# Operating

## Operating the Hydrostatic Transmission

**IMPORTANT: Avoid damage! To prevent transmission damage, stop machine motion completely before shifting the range shift lever.**

1. Start machine engine.



2. Choose speed range with range shift lever (A) to match work application.

- **L** – Low speed operations such as tilling hard soil, mowing long grass or heavy hauling. Machine speed is decreased, but machine power is increased.
- **N** – Neutral position. Lever must be in the N (neutral) position when starting the engine.
- **H** – High speed operations such as light tilling and hauling, mowing short grass and transport. Machine speed is increased, but machine power is decreased.

3. Depress brake pedal.

4. Unlock park brake.

5. Release brake pedal.

6. Move throttle lever (B) forward until engine operates at desired speed.

**NOTE: When the travel pedal is released, the transmission will automatically return to neutral.**

7. Slowly depress pedal (C) downward to travel forward. Slowly depress pedal (D) downward to travel in reverse.

- The farther either travel pedal is depressed, the faster the machine will travel.

8. Stop machine to change speed range.

## Using Cruise Control - 1026R



**CAUTION: Avoid injury! Use cruise control only in large, open areas. Shut off before turning or when in areas with many obstacles.**

**NOTE: The cruise control is only operational when the machine is traveling forward.**

### Engaging Cruise Control

1. Depress forward travel pedal until desired travel speed is reached.



2. Lift cruise control lever (A) to engage.

3. Release forward travel pedal.

### Disengaging Cruise Control

The cruise control can be disengaged in one of two ways:

- Depress brake pedal and push cruise control lever down.
- Increase travel speed slightly and push cruise control lever down.

### Adjusting Cruise Control Travel Speed

To adjust travel speed:

- Increase travel speed by pressing forward travel pedal until desired speed is reached.
- Decrease travel speed by disengaging cruise control, adjusting forward travel speed as desired and engage cruise control lever.