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**ARTICULATED VEHICLE WITH SWIVEL LOCKING MECHANISM.**

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The vehicle (2) comprises a first chassis part (4) and a second chassis part (6) able to swivel relative to each other about a fore-and-aft axis for travel over rough terrain and a hydraulic locking mechanism (8) able to lock the first and the second chassis parts (4, 6) together to prevent the swivelling eg when travelling on roads. The swivel joint may be disposed around the propeller shaft 44 of the vehicle. The hydraulic locking mechanism may comprise a ram which can extend through aligned holes in the vehicle parts 4, 6.

