

(To Prospectus and Prospectus Supplement dated May 6, 1999) Rule 424(b) (3)  
 Prospectus number: 1945

Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.  
 Medium-Term Notes, Series B  
 Due Nine Months or More from Date of Issue

Floating Rate Notes

Principal Amount: \$310,000,000 Original Issue Date: April 12, 2000  
 CUSIP Number: 59018S 5V2 Stated Maturity Date: October 12, 2001

Interest Calculation: Day Count Convention:  
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 Regular Floating Rate Note  Actual/360  
 Inverse Floating Rate Note  30/360  
 (Fixed Interest Rate):  Actual/Actual

Interest Rate Basis:  
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 LIBOR  Commercial Paper Rate  
 CMT Rate  Eleventh District Cost of Funds Rate  
 Prime Rate  CD Rate  
 Federal Funds Rate  Other (see attached)  
 Treasury Rate  
 Designated CMT Page: Designated LIBOR Page:  
 CMT Telerate Page: LIBOR Telerate Page: 3750  
 CMT Reuters Page: LIBOR Reuters Page:

Index Maturity: One Month Minimum Interest Rate: Not Applicable  
 Spread: 0.070% Maximum Interest Rate: Not Applicable  
 Initial Interest Rate: TBD Spread Multiplier: Not Applicable

Interest Reset Dates: Monthly on the 12th, commencing on May 12th, 2000 through maturity date; subject to modified following business day convention.

Interest Payment Dates: Monthly on the 12th, commencing on May 12th, 2000 through maturity date; subject to modified following business day convention.

Repayment at the  
 Option of the Holder: The Notes cannot be repaid prior to the Stated Maturity Date.

Redemption at the  
 Option of the Company: The Notes cannot be redeemed prior to the Stated Maturity Date.

Form: The Notes are being issued in fully registered book-entry form.

Trustee: The Chase Manhattan Bank

Dated: April 7, 2000