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

## Floating Rate Notes

Principal Amount: \$105,000,000 Original Issue Date: May 31, 2000 CUSIP Number: 59018S 7D0 Stated Maturity Date: May 31, 2002

Interest Calculation: Day Count Convention: 

| | Actual/Actual

Interest Rate Basis: - -----

|X| LIBOR | | Commercial Paper Rate

| | CMT Rate | | Eleventh District Cost of Funds Rate | Prime Rate

| | CD Rate

| | Other (see attached)

| | Federal Funds Rate | | Treasury Rate

Designated CMT Page: Designated LIBOR Page: LIBOR Telerate Page: CMT Telerate Page: 3750

CMT Reuters Page: LIBOR Reuters Page:

Index Maturity: One Month Minimum Interest Rate: Not Applicable

Spread: 0.170% Maximum Interest Rate: Not Applicable

TBD Initial Interest Rate: Spread Multiplier: Not Applicable

Monthly, on the last business day of each month, subject to modified following business day Interest Reset Dates:

convention.

Monthly, on the last business day of each month, subject to modified following business day Interest Payment Dates:

convention.

Repayment at the

Option of the Holder: The Notes cannot be repaid prior to the Stated

Maturity Date.

Redemption at the

The Notes cannot be redeemed prior to the Stated Option of the Company:

Maturity Date.

The Notes are being issued in fully registered Form:

book-entry form.

Trustee: The Chase Manhattan Bank

Dated: May 24, 2000