

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT  
(TO PROSPECTUS DATED JULY 7, 1997)  
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PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1605  
DATED: OCTOBER 24, 1997

MERRILL LYNCH & CO., INC.  
MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES B  
DUE NINE MONTHS OR MORE FROM DATE OF ISSUE  
FLOATING RATE NOTES

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BASE RATE:	T-BILL
INDEX MATURITY:	Three Months
TRADE DATE:	October 24, 1997
SETTLEMENT DATE:	October 29, 1997
MATURITY DATE:	October 29, 1998
REDEMPTION DATE:	N/A
OPTIONAL REPAYMENT DATES:	N/A
SPREAD:	0.600%
SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	N/A
MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
INTEREST RESET DATES:	Weekly
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	January 29, 1998, April 29, 1998, July 29, 1998 and Maturity, subject to Following Business Day Convention.
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	TBD
FORM:	Book-entry

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