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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT (TO PROSPECTUS DATED JULY 7, 1997) (TO PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT DATED JULY 7, 1997)

PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1641 DATED: JANUARY 20, 1998

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:	LIBOR
INDEX MATURITY:	One Month
TRADE DATE:	January 20, 1998
SETTLEMENT DATE:	January 23, 1998
MATURITY DATE:	January 25, 1999
REDEMPTION DATE:	N/A
OPTIONAL REPAYMENT DATES:	N/A
SPREAD:	-0.050% (Minus five bps)
SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	N/A
COMMISSION:	0.075%
MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
INTEREST RESET DATES:	Monthly
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	The 25th of each month commencing February 1998 through Maturity, subject to Modified Following Business Day Convention.
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	5.57109%
FORM:	Book-entry

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