

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT  
(TO PROSPECTUS DATED JULY 7, 1997)  
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PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1642  
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:	Prime (Prior Day H.15)
INDEX MATURITY:	One Day
TRADE DATE:	January 20, 1998
SETTLEMENT DATE:	January 23, 1998
MATURITY DATE:	January 26, 1999
REDEMPTION DATE:	N/A
OPTIONAL REPAYMENT DATES:	N/A
SPREAD:	-2.890% (Minus two hundred eighty nine bps)
SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	N/A
COMMISSION:	0.075%
MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
INTEREST RESET DATES:	Daily
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	The 26th of April, July, October 1998 and Maturity, subject to Following Business Day Convention.
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	TBD, 1/23/98
FORM:	Book-entry

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PRINCIPAL \$100,000,000.00