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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT FILE NO. 333-59997
(TO PROSPECTUS AND PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT DATED JULY 30, 1998) RULE 424(B) (3)
PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1783

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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

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PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:	\$30,000,000	ORIGINAL ISSUE DATE:	October 16, 1998
CUSIP NUMBER:	59018S S21	STATED MATURITY DATE:	October 18, 1999

INTEREST CALCULATION:	DAY COUNT CONVENTION:
/x/ REGULAR FLOATING RATE NOTE	/x/ ACTUAL/360
// INVERSE FLOATING RATE NOTE	// 30/360
(FIXED INTEREST RATE):	// ACTUAL/ACTUAL

INTEREST RATE BASIS:	
/x/ 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:	Three Months	MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	Not Applicable
SPREAD:	0.060%	MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	Not Applicable
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	5.40906%	SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	Not Applicable

INTEREST RESET DATES: Quarterly on the 18th of January, April and July, 1999, through the Maturity Date; subject to modified following business day convention.

INTEREST PAYMENT DATES: Quarterly on the 18th of January, April and July and 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: October 13, 1998

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