PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT

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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

| <pre><s> Principal Amount:</s></pre> | <c> \$300,000,000</c> | <c> Original Issue Date: March 8, 2002</c> | |
|---|---------------------------|--|--|
| Issue Price: | 100.00% | Stated Maturity Date: March 8, 2005 | |
| CUSIP Number: | 59018Y MF 5 | | |
| Interest Calculation: | | Day Count Convention: | |
| <pre>[x] Regular Floating Rate Note [] Inverse Floating Rate Note</pre> | | [x] Actual/360 [] 30/360 [] Actual/Actual | |
| Interest Rate Basis: | | | |
| [] LIBOR [] CMT Rate [] Prime Rate [x] Federal Funds Rate [] Treasury Rate Designated CMT Page: | | [] Commercial Paper Rate [] Eleventh District Cost of Funds Rate [] CD Rate [] Other (see attached) Designated LIBOR Page: LIBOR Telerate Page: LIBOR Reuters Page: | |
| Index Maturity: | Not Applicable | Minimum Interest Rate: Not Applicable | |
| Spread: | +0.450% | Maximum Interest Rate: Not Applicable | |
| <pre>Initial Interest Rate: </pre> | | | |

 Calculated as if the Original Issue Date was an Interest Reset Date | Spread Multiplier: Not Applicable || | Each Business Day, commencing March 11, 20 subject to the following Business Day conv | 002 to but excluding the Stated Maturity Date, rention. |
| Interest Payment Dates: Repayment at the | Quarterly, on the 8th of March, June, Sept until maturity, subject to the following E | ember and December commencing June 8, 2002 business Day convention. |
| 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: | JPMorgan Chase Bank | |
| Underwriters: | | erporated ("MLPF&S"), First Union Securities, Inc. (the "Underwriters"), are acting as principals in Lead Underwriter. |
| | ~~-~~ | 2002 (the Agreement"), between the Company and the |
Underwriters has severally and not jointly agreed to purchase the principal amount of

Principal Amount of the Notes

Notes set forth opposite its name below:

Underwriters

Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated First Union Securities, Inc. Credit Lyonnais Securities (USA) Inc.

\$288,000,000 \$6,000,000 \$6,000,000 ------\$300,000,000

Total

Pursuant to the Agreement, the obligations of the Underwriters are subject to certain conditions and the Underwriters are committed to take and pay for all of the Notes, if any are taken.

The Underwriters have advised the Company that they propose initially to offer all or part of the Notes directly to the public at the Issue Price listed above. After the initial public offering, the Issue Price may be changed.

The Company has agreed to indemnify the Underwriters against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Dated:

March 5, 2002

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