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PRICING SUPPLEMENT
(To Prospectus Supplement and Prospectus
dated February 25, 2005)
Pricing Supplement Number: 2439
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File No. 333-122639
Rule 424 (b) (3)
Merrill Lynch \& Co., Inc.
Medium-Term Notes, Series C
Due Nine Months or More from Date of Issue


## Interest Rate Basis:

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| [_] LIBOR |  | [_] Commercial Paper Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| [X] CMT Rate |  | [_] Eleventh District Cost of Funds Rate |
| [_] Prime Rate |  | [_] CD Rate |
| [_] Federal Funds Rate |  | [_] Other (see attached) |
| [_] Treasury Rate |  |  |
| Designated CMT Page: | Bloomberg Page H15T10Y | Designated LIBOR Page: |
|  |  | LIBOR MoneylineTelerate Page: LIBOR Reuters Page: |

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    1 Year CMT Rate: The One Year CMT Rate refers to the Constant Maturity Treasury Rate with an Index
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Telerate Page
    Index Maturity: One Year
Applicable
    Spread:
Applicable
    Initial Interest Rate:
Applicable
    \(-0.15 \%\)
Maximum Interest Rate:
Not
Calculated as if the Original
Spread Multiplier:
Not
    of one year that will be displayed by Bloomberg on Bloomberg Page H15T10Y \{Index\}
    3:00 p.m. New York City time, on the Interest Determination Date preceding the
    Interest Reset Date. Bloomberg means Bloomberg data services or any successor
    page displaying such rate. If the Constant Maturity Treasury Rate with an Index
    of one year cannot be determined as described in the preceding sentences, such
    be determined in accordance with the procedures set forth in the prospectus
    the Notes relating to determination of the CMT Rate based on CMT Moneyline
    7051.
                                    Minimum Interest Rate:
Not
One Year

Calculated as if the Original
Spread Multiplier:
Not

Interest Determination Dates: Monthly, on the second Business
Day immediately preceding an Interest Reset Date.

Interest Reset Dates:
Monthly, on the 20 th of each month,

Interest Payment Dates:

Repayment at the
Option of the Holder:
Redemption at the
Option of the Company:
Form:
Trustee:
Underwriting Discount:
Dated:
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Monthly, on the 20th of each
month, commencing on June 20, 2005, subject to modified following Business Day convention.

The Notes cannot be repaid prior to the Stated Maturity Date.

The Notes cannot be redeemed prior to the Stated Maturity Date.
The Notes are being issued in fully registered book-entry form.
JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.
$0.075 \%$
May 13, 2005

