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PRICING SUPPLEMENT

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(To MTN Prospectus Supplement, General Prospectus Supplement

and Prospectus, each dated March 31, 2006)

Pricing Supplement Number:2596

Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. Medium-Term Notes, Series C Due Nine Months or More from Date of Issue

Floating Rate Notes

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Principal Amount:

Original Issue Date: November 06,

Stated Maturity Date:

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April 29,

2006

CUSIP Number: 59018YYP0

2011

Issue Price: 100.00%

Interest Calculation: Day Count Convention:

Interest Rate Basis:

|X| LIBOR | | Commercial Paper Rate

| | Treasury Rate
Designated CMT Page: Designated LIBOR Page:

CMT Moneyline Telerate Page: LIBOR MoneylineTelerate Page: 3750

LIBOR Reuters Page:

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Index Maturity: One Month Minimum Interest Rate: Not

Applicable

Spread: 0.1700% Maximum Interest Rate: Not

Applicable

Initial Interest Rate: Calculated as if the Original Issue Spread Multiplier: Not Applicable

Date was an Interest Reset Date

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Interest Reset Dates: Monthly, on the 29th, commencing on November 29, 2006,

subject to modified following Business Day convention.

Interest Payment Dates: Monthly, on the 29th, commencing on November 29, 2006,

subject to modified following Business Day convention.

Short Stub at the first payment.

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

 ${\tt book-entry\ form.}$

Trustee: The Bank of New York

Underwriting Discount: 0.0000%

Dated: October 23, 2006