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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] – Christ Carol T	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MERRILL LYNCH & CO INC [MER]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MERRILL LYNCH & CO., INC., 4 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER	07/01/2007	1 1 0 ()			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10080		Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
(Instr. 4) Bene		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of		4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
(Instr. 4)			and Expiration Date		Securities Underlying Derivative		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership	
			Security		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)			
			(Instr. 4)		Derivative	Security: Direct				
		Expiration	Title	Amount or Number of	Security	(D) or Indirect				
	Exercisable	Date	The	Shares		(Instr. 5)				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Christ Carol T C/O MERRILL LYNCH & CO., INC. 4 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER NEW YORK, NY 10080	Х				

Signatures

Carol T. Christ (By Pia K. Thompson, as agent)	07/03/2007	
-**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Remarks: Exhibit List Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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I hereby appoint Richard B. Alsop, Judith A. Witterschein, Mason A. Reeves, Ana Silva, Pia K. Thompson and Margaret E. Nelson to act individually as my agent and attorney-in-fact for the purpose of completing, executing and filing on my behalf with the Securities and Exchange Commission, the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. or any other exchange or self regulatory body, any Form 3 "Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities", Form 4 "Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities", Form 5 "Annual Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities", Form 144 "Notice of Proposed Sale of Securities", or any other similar form to report securities ownership that may, in the opinion of any of them be necessary, with respect to any transaction in securities of Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.

Nothing herein shall relieve me of the responsibility for the accuracy of the information and representations contained in any Form 3, Form 4, Form 5, Form 144 or other similar form completed, executed and filed pursuant to this power of attorney.

This power of attorney shall supersede all similar prior powers of attorney and will remain effective as to the agents and attorneys-in-fact referred to above until I revoke or amend it by written notice to such persons.

/s/ Carol T. Christ Carol T. Christ

State of New York County of New York

Sworn to before me this 4th day of June, 2007.

/s/ Caroline E. Delaney
Notary

Caroline E. Delaney Notary Public State of New York No. 01DE6150075 Qualified in King County Certificate Filed in New York County Commission Expires July 24, 2010