February 10, 2003

[LOGO] MERRILL LYNCH

OFICS Filer Support SEC Operations Center 6432 General Green Way Alexandria, Virginia 22312-2413

Attention: 1933 Act Filing Desk

Re: Registration Statement No. 333-97937

With reference to the above captioned Registration Statement and in compliance with Rule 424(b)(3) adopted under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, we enclose herewith for filing, one copy, marked as required, one Prospectus and Prospectus Supplement dated September 25, 2002 relating to Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. Medium-Term Notes to be used on and after this date. In addition, please reference that this note is not listed on any exchange.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Mark Youngclaus

Mark Youngclaus Vice President

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT (To Prospectus Supplement and Prospectus dated April 1, 2002) Prospectus number: 2257 File No. 333-97937 Rule 424(b)(3)

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

Floating Rate Notes

Principal Amount: \$50,000,000		Original Issue Date: November 18, 2002
CUSIP Number: 59018YPB1		Stated Maturity Date: November 18, 2003
Interest Calculation: [X] Regular Floating Rate Note [] Inverse Floating Rate Note (Fixed Interest Rate):		Day Count Convention: [X] Actual/360 [] 30/360 [] Actual/Actual
<pre>Interest Rate Basis: [] LIBOR [] CMT Rate [] Prime Rate [X] Federal Funds Open [] Treasury Rate Designated CMT Page CMT Telerate Page CMT Reuters Page:</pre>	:	<pre>[] Commercial Paper Rate [] Eleventh District Cost of Funds Rate [] CD Rate [] Other (see attached) Designated LIBOR Page: LIBOR Telerate Page: LIBOR Reuters Page:</pre>
Index Maturity: N/A		Minimum Interest Rate: Not Applicable
Spread: Plus 0.12%		Maximum Interest Rate: Not Applicable
Initial Interest Rate:	Calculated if the Orig Issue Date an Interest Date	vas
Interest Reset Dates:	Each Business Day, commencing November 19, 2002 to but excluding the Stated Maturity Date, subject to the following Business Day convention	
Interest Payment Dates:	Quarterly, on the 18th of February, May, August and maturity commencing February 18, 2003; subject to the following business day convention	
Fed Funds Open Rate:	set forth o caption "FE rate is not	or an Intetrest Reset Date shall be the rate on Telerate Page 5 for that day underneath the DERAL FUNDS" in the row titled "OPEN". If the available for an Interest Reset Date, the nat Interest Reset Date shall be the Federal

	Funds Effective rate as published in the H.15 Daily Update.	
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:	JPMorgan Chase Bank	
Dated:	November 13, 2002	