Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. 95 Greene Street Jersey City, New Jersey 07302

December 17, 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. 333-105098

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 Supplement and Prospectus supplement dated June 3, 2003 relating to Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. CoreNotes(SM) 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

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Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. Statement No. 333-109802 \$34,218,265,000 Statement No. 333-109802 Merrill Lynch CoreNotesSM November 26, 2003)

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(To Prospectus Supplement and Prospectus supplement dated

CUSIP	Aggregate	Price to	Purchasing	Interest Rate	Interest Payment	Stated Maturity
Survivor's						
Number	Principal Amount	Public(1)	Agent's Discount(1)	Per Annum	Frequency	Date
Option						
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5901M0DN6	\$3,315,000	100.0%	1.2000%	4.20%	Monthly	12/22/2010
Yes	\$3 , 313 , 000	100.00	1.20000	1.200	rionent y	12/22/2010

Trade Date: Wednesday December 17, 2003

Merrill Lynch & Co. Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.

Purchasing Agent

4 World Financial Center Acting as Principal New York, NY 10080

Issue Date: Monday December 22, 2003

Minimum Denominations/Increments: \$1,000/\$1,000

Original Issue Discount: No

All trades settle without accrued interest and clear SDFS: DTC Book-Entry only Merrill Lynch DTC Participant Number: 5132

(1) Expressed as a percentage of the aggregate principal amount. "CoreNotes" is a service mark of Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.

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