

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT
(TO PROSPECTUS DATED JULY 7, 1997)
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PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1544
DATED: JULY 21, 1997

MERRILL LYNCH & CO., INC.
MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES B
DUE NINE MONTHS OR MORE FROM DATE OF ISSUE
FLOATING RATE NOTES

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BASE RATE:	Prime (Prior Day H.15)
INDEX MATURITY:	One Day
TRADE DATE:	July 21, 1997
SETTLEMENT DATE:	July 24, 1997
MATURITY DATE:	July 24, 1998
REDEMPTION DATE:	N/A
OPTIONAL REPAYMENT DATES:	N/A
SPREAD:	-2.820% (minus two hundred eighty two bps)
SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	N/A
MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
INTEREST RESET DATES:	Daily
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	The 24th of October, January, April and July commencing October 1997 through Maturity
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	TBD, July 23, 1997
FORM:	Book-entry

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