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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT (TO PROSPECTUS DATED JULY 7, 1997) (TO PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT DATED JULY 7, 1997)

PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1594 DATED: OCTOBER 8, 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: Fed Funds (Prior Day Effective)

INDEX MATURITY: One Day

TRADE DATE: October 8, 1997

SETTLEMENT DATE: October 14, 1997

MATURITY DATE: October 14, 1999

REDEMPTION DATE: N/A

OPTIONAL REPAYMENT DATES: N/A

SPREAD: 0.190%

(plus nineteen basis points)

SPREAD MULTIPLIER: N/A

MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE: N/A

MINIMUM INTEREST RATE: N/A

INTEREST RESET DATES: Daily

INTEREST PAYMENT DATES: The fourteenth of January, April, July and October commencing January,

1998 through maturity, subject to following business day convention.

INITIAL INTEREST RATE: TBD, October 14, 1997

FORM: Book-entry

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