

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT
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PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1638
DATED: JANUARY 13, 1998

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 H.15)
INDEX MATURITY:	One Day
TRADE DATE:	January 13, 1998
SETTLEMENT DATE:	January 16, 1998
MATURITY DATE:	January 18, 2000
REDEMPTION DATE:	N/A
OPTIONAL REPAYMENT DATES:	N/A
SPREAD:	0.200% (Plus twenty bps)
COMMISSION:	0.175%
SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	N/A
MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	N/A
INTEREST RESET DATES:	Daily, commencing with the First Payment
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	1/19/99, 4/18/99, 7/18/99, 10/18/99 and Maturity, subject to Following Business Day Convention. (Note: first payment is fixed, subsequent payments are floating.)
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	5.63%
FORM:	Book-entry

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CUSIP # 59018SZH0
PRINCIPAL \$110,000,000.00