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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT (TO PROSPECTUS AND PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT DATED JULY 30, 1998) PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1786 FILE NO. 333-59997 RULE 424(B)(3)

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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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PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:	\$100,000,000		ORIGINAL ISSUE DATE:	November 3, 1998
CUSIP NUMBER:	59018S S54		STATED MATURITY DATE:	November 3, 1999
INTEREST CALCULATION: /x/ REGULAR FLOATING RATE NOTE / / INVERSE FLOATING RATE NOTE (FIXED INTEREST RATE):		DAY COUNT CONVENTION: /x/ ACTUAL/360 / / 30/360 / / ACTUAL/ACTUAL		
INTEREST RATE BASIS: / / LIBOR / / CMT RATE /x/ PRIME RATE / / FEDERAL FUNDS RATE / / TREASURY RATE DESIGNATED CMT PAGE: CMT TELERATE PAGE: CMT REUTERS PAGE:			<pre>/ / COMMERCIAL PAPER RATE / / ELEVENTH DISTRICT COST OF H / / CD RATE / / OTHER (SEE ATTACHED) DESIGNATED LIBOR PAGE: LIBOR TELERATE PAGE: LIBOR REUTERS PAGE:</pre>	FUNDS RATE
INDEX MATURITY:	Daily		MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:	Not Applicable
SPREAD:	-2.800%		MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:	Not Applicable
INITIAL INTEREST RATE:	TBD		SPREAD MULTIPLIER:	Not Applicable
INTEREST RESET DATES:	Daily, commencing November 3, 1998, through maturity date; subject to following business day convention.			
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	Quarterly commencing the 3rd of February, May, August and November, subject to following business day convention.			
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: The Chase Manhattan Bank

DATED: October 26, 1998

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