

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT  
(THE PROSPECTUS DATED JANUARY 29, 1998 AND PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT DATED MARCH 12,  
1998)  
PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1710

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

FIXED RATE NOTES

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PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:	\$20,000,000
CUSIP NUMBER:	59018SH23
INTEREST RATE:	6.50000%
ORIGINAL ISSUE DATE:	May 18, 1998
STATED MATURITY DATE:	May 20, 2013
INTEREST PAYMENT DATES:	Each May 15th and November 15th, commencing on November 15, 1998 through November 15, 2012 and on the Stated Maturity Date, 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:	May 13, 1998

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