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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT
(TO PROSPECTUS DATED JANUARY 29, 1998 AND PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT DATED

FILE NO. 333-44173
RULE 424(B)(3)

MARCH 12, 1998)

PROSPECTUS NUMBER: 1714

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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: \$50,000,000 ORIGINAL ISSUE DATE: May 22, 1998

CUSIP NUMBER: 59018S H64 STATED MATURITY DATE: May 22, 2000

INTEREST CALCULATION: DAY COUNT CONVENTION:

/x/ REGULAR FLOATING RATE NOTE /x/ ACTUAL/360
// INVERSE FLOATING RATE NOTE // 30/360
(FIXED INTEREST RATE): // ACTUAL/ACTUAL

INTEREST RATE BASIS:

/ / LIBOR / / COMMERCIAL PAPER RATE

/ / CMT RATE // ELEVENTH DISTRICT COST OF FUNDS RATE

/ / PRIME RATE // CD RATE

/x/ FEDERAL FUNDS RATE // OTHER (SEE ATTACHED)

/ / TREASURY RATE

DESIGNATED CMT PAGE:

CMT TELERATE PAGE:

CMT REUTERS PAGE:

LIBOR REUTERS PAGE:

LIBOR REUTERS PAGE:

INDEX MATURITY: Daily MINIMUM INTEREST RATE: Not Applicable

SPREAD: 0.190% MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE: Not Applicable

INITIAL INTEREST RATE: TBD SPREAD MULTIPLIER: Not Applicable

INTEREST RESET DATES: Daily commencing May 22, 1998 through the Maturity Date, subject to following

business day convention.

INTEREST PAYMENT DATES: Quarterly on the 22nd of August, November, February and May, commencing August

22, 1998 through the 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 21, 1998

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