MERRILL LYNCH LIFE VARIABLE ANNUITY SEPARATE ACCOUNT C Form NSAR-U February 23, 2007

FORM N-SAR SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT FOR REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Report for six month period ending: / / (a) or fiscal year ending: 12/31/06 (b) Is this a transition report? (Y/N) Ν Is this an amendment to a previous filing? (Y/N) N ____ Those items or sub-items with a box "[/]" after the item number should be completed only if the answer has changed from the previous filing on this form. A. Registrant Name: Merrill Lynch Life Variable Annuity Separate 1. Account C B. File Number: 811 - 10585 C. Telephone Number: (609) 274-6900 2. A. Street: 1700 Merrill Lynch Drive, 3rd Floor B. City: Pennington C. State: NJ D. Zip Code: 08534 Zip Ext: E. Foreign Country: Foreign Postal Code: 3. Is this the first filing on this form by Registrant? (Y/N) $$\rm N$$ _____ Is this the last filing on this form by Registrant? (Y/N)4. Ν _____ 5. Is Registrant a small business investment company (SBIC)? (Y/N) N [If answer is "Y" (Yes), complete only items 89 through 110.] Is Registrant a unit investment trust (UIT)? (Y/N) 6. Y _____ [If answer is "Y" (Yes) complete only items 111 through 132.] 7. A. Is Registrant a series or multiple portfolio company? (Y/N)[If answer is "N" (No), go to item 8.] ____ B. How many separate series or portfolios did Registrant have at the

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116.	Fami	ly of :	investment compani	es informa	tion:		
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117.	Α.	[/]	Is Registrant a (Y/N)	separate a	ccount of an insu	rance company?	
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			is "Y" (Yes), are the Registrant?	any of the	following types of	of contracts	
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_____ ___ Y/N Ε. [/] Other types of insurance products registered under the Securities Act of 1933? (Y/N) _____ Y/N State the number of series existing at the end of the period that 118. [/] had securities registered under the Securities Act of 1933 _____ State the number of new series for which registration statements 119. [/] under the Securities Act of 1933 became effective during the period 120. State the total value of the portfolio securities on the date of [/] deposit for the new series included in item 119 (\$000's omitted) ___\$___ 121. [/] State the number of series for which a current prospectus was in existence at the end of the period _____ 122. [/] State the number of existing series for which additional units were registered under the Securities Act of 1933 during the current period ____ _ _ 49 _____ If filing more than one Page 50, "X" box: [X] For period ending 12/31/06 _____ File number 811- 10585 _____ 123. [/] State the total value of the additional units considered in answering item 122 (\$000's omitted) _____ \$ 0 _____ 124. [/] State the total value of units of prior series that were placed in the portfolios of subsequent series during the current period (the value of these units is to be measured on the date they were placed in the subsequent series) (\$000's omitted) _____ \$ 0 _____

- 125. [/] State the total dollar amount of sales loads collected (before reallowances to other brokers or dealers) by Registrant's principal underwriter and any underwriter which is an affiliated person of the principal underwriter during the current period solely from the sale of units of all series of Registrant (\$000's omitted)______\$______
- 126. Of the amount shown in item 125, state the total dollar amount of sales loads collected from secondary market operations in Registrant's units (include the sales loads, if any, collected on units of a prior series placed in the portfolio of a subsequent series.) (\$000's omitted) _______

127. List opposite the appropriate description below the number of series whose portfolios are invested primarily (based upon a percentage of NAV) in each type of security shown, the aggregate total assets at market value as of a date at or near the end of the current period of each such group of series and the total income distributions made by each such group of series during the current period (excluding distributions of realized gains, if any):

		Number of Series Investing	Total Assets (\$000's omitted)	Total Incom Distribution (\$000's omitted)
A.	U.S. Treasury direct issue		\$ 	\$
в.	U.S. Government agency		\$ 	\$
с.	State and municipal tax-free		\$	\$
D.	Public utility debt		\$	\$
E.	Brokers or dealers debt or debt of brokers' or dealers' parent		\$	\$
F.	All other corporate intermed. & long-term debt		\$ 	\$
G.	All other corporate short-term debt		\$ 	\$

Η.	Equity securities of brokers or dealers or parents of brokers or dealers		\$	\$
I.	Investment company equity securities		\$ 	\$
J.	All other equity securities	1	\$ 80,439	\$
К.	Other securities		\$	\$
L.	Total assets of all series of registrant	1	\$ 80,439	\$

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128.	[/]	Is the timely payment of principal and interest on any of the portfolio securities held by any of Registrant's series at the end of the current period insured or guaranteed by an entity other than the issuer? (Y/N)
		[If answer is "N" (No), go to item 131.] Y/N
129.	[/]	Is the issuer of any instrument covered in item 128 delinquent or in default as to payment of principal or interest at the end of the current period? (Y/N)
		[If answer is "N" (No), go to item 131.] Y/N
130.	[/]	In computations of NAV or offering price per unit, is any part of the value attributed to instruments identified in item 129 derived from insurance or guarantees? (Y/N) $_$ Y/N
131.		Total expenses incurred by all series of Registrant during the current reporting period (\$000's omitted) \$ 1,549

132. [/] List the "811" (Investment Company Act of 1940) registration

number for all Series of Registrant that are being included in this filing:

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This report is signed on behalf of the Registrant, Merrill Lynch Life Variable Annuity Separate Account C, in the Borough of Pennington, State of New Jersey. Date: February 23, 2007.

Merrill Lynch Life Insurance Company

By: /s/ JOSEPH E. JUSTICE	Witness: /s/ KIRSTY LIEBERMAN
Joseph E. Justice	Kirsty Lieberman
Senior Vice President and	Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer	Senior Counsel

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