



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE2**

Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06

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Issuer: Merrill Lynch & Company- Asset Backed Sec. Group

Depositor: Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors, Inc.

Underwriter: Merrill Lynch & Company- Asset Backed Sec. Group

Master Servicer: Wilshire Credit Corporation

Rating Agency: Moody's Investors Service, Inc./Standard & Poor's



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Class	CUSIP	Original Face Value (1)	Beginning Certificate Balance	Principal Payment	Current Realized Loss	Deferred Interest	Ending Certificate Balance	Interest Payment (2)	Interest Adjustment	Pass-Through Rate
A-1	59020VAA1	248,060,000.00	203,968,950.74	11,337,500.22	0.00	0.00	192,631,450.52	956,359.42	0.00	5.4450000000%
A-2	59020VAB9	67,314,000.00	67,314,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	67,314,000.00	319,096.41	0.00	5.5050000000%
A-3	59020VAC7	74,812,000.00	74,812,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	74,812,000.00	357,861.12	0.00	5.5550000000%
A-4	59020VAD5	41,860,000.00	41,860,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	41,860,000.00	203,840.76	0.00	5.6550000000%
M-1	59020VAE3	23,939,000.00	23,939,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	23,939,000.00	118,015.95	0.00	5.7250000000%
M-2	59020VAF0	22,229,000.00	22,229,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	22,229,000.00	109,777.30	0.00	5.7350000000%
M-3	59020VAG8	12,824,000.00	12,824,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12,824,000.00	63,772.68	0.00	5.7750000000%
M-4	59020VAH6	11,399,000.00	11,399,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,399,000.00	57,569.70	0.00	5.8650000000%
M-5	59020VAJ2	10,829,000.00	10,829,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,829,000.00	54,877.46	0.00	5.8850000000%
M-6	59020VAK9	9,974,000.00	9,974,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,974,000.00	51,145.84	0.00	5.9550000000%
B-1	59020VAL7	9,974,000.00	9,974,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,974,000.00	55,697.86	0.00	6.4850000000%
B-2	59020VAM5	9,119,000.00	9,119,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,119,000.00	52,101.15	0.00	6.6350000000%
B-3	59020VAN3	6,839,000.00	6,839,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,839,000.00	44,374.66	41.04	7.5280305475%
C	59020VAP8	569,982,363.10 N	525,885,306.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	514,547,806.77	963,288.35	(1,298.50)	2.2010582976%
P	59020VAQ6	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	196,599.49	196,599.49	N/A
R	59020VAR4	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
Total		549,172,100.00	505,080,950.74	11,337,500.22	0.00	0.00	493,743,450.52	3,604,378.15	195,342.03	
Total P&I Payment								14,941,878.37		

(1) N denotes notional balance not included in total (2) Accrued Interest plus/minus Interest Adjustment minus Deferred Interest equals Interest Payment



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Class	CUSIP	Original Face Value	Beginning Certificate Balance *	Principal Payment *	Current Realized Loss *	Deferred Interest *	Ending Certificate Balance *	Interest Payment *	Interest Adjustment*	Next Rate **
A-1	59020VAA1	248,060,000.00	822.256513505	45.704669112	0.000000000	0.000000000	776.551844392	3.855355237	0.000000000	5.38438000%
A-2	59020VAB9	67,314,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.740416704	0.000000000	5.44438000%
A-3	59020VAC7	74,812,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.783472170	0.000000000	5.49438000%
A-4	59020VAD5	41,860,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.869583373	0.000000000	5.59438000%
M-1	59020VAE3	23,939,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.929861314	0.000000000	5.66438000%
M-2	59020VAF0	22,229,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.938472266	0.000000000	5.67438000%
M-3	59020VAG8	12,824,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.972916407	0.000000000	5.71438000%
M-4	59020VAH6	11,399,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.050416703	0.000000000	5.80438000%
M-5	59020VAJ2	10,829,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.067638748	0.000000000	5.82438000%
M-6	59020VAK9	9,974,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.127916583	0.000000000	5.89438000%
B-1	59020VAL7	9,974,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.584305194	0.000000000	6.42438000%
B-2	59020VAM5	9,119,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.713471872	0.000000000	6.57438000%
B-3	59020VAN3	6,839,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	6.488471999	0.006000877	7.47438000%
C	59020VAP8	569,982,363.10 N	922.634349824	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	902.743383096	1.690031854	(0.002278141)	N/A
P	59020VAQ6	0.00	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	N/A
R	59020VAR4	100.00	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	N/A

* Per \$1,000 of Original Face Value ** Estimated



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Cash Reconciliation Summary***

Pool Source of Funds		Non-Pool Source of Funds	
Interest Summary		Supplemental Interest Trust	
Interest Summary		Net Swap Payments received	0.00
Scheduled Interest	3,628,155.00	Net Swap Payments paid	0.00
Fees	219,798.88		
Remittance Interest	3,408,356.12	Swap Termination Payments received	0.00
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls		Swap Termination Payments paid	0.00
Prepayment Penalties	196,599.49	Defaulted Swap Termination Payments	0.00
Other Interest Loss	0.00		
Other Interest Proceeds	0.00		
Non-advancing Interest	(89.00)		
Non-Supported Interest Shortfall	0.00		
Relief Act Shortfall	(488.45)		
Modification Shortfall	0.00		
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls	196,022.04		
Interest Adjusted	3,604,378.16		
Fee Summary		Cap Contracts	
Total Servicing Fees	219,118.88	Class A Certificates	0.00
Total Trustee Fees	0.00	Subordinate Certificates	0.00
LPMI Fees	0.00		
Credit Manager's Fees	0.00		
Unpaid Serv Fees (Charged-off Loans)	0.00		
Misc. Fees / Trust Expense	680.00		
Insurance Premium	0.00		
Total Fees	219,798.88		
Advances (Principal & Interest)			
Prior Month's Outstanding Advances	4,616,409.11		
Current Advances	3,417,095.06		
Reimbursement of Prior Advances	225,702.00		
Outstanding Advances	7,807,802.46		
		P&I Due Certificate Holders	14,941,878.38

P&I Advances as of the end of the Due Period do not reflect the amount of advances remitted by the Servicer on the Servicer Remittance Date due to additional proceeds received between the end of the Due Period and the Servicer Remittance Date and netted from the P&I Advances stated as of the end of the Due Period.



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Cash Reconciliation Summary (By Rate Type)***

	Fixed	ARM	Total
Interest Summary			
Scheduled Interest	658,455.18	2,969,699.82	3,628,155.00
Fees	36,148.15	183,043.73	219,191.88
Remittance Interest	622,307.03	2,786,049.09	3,408,356.12
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls			
Prepayment Penalties	13,349.12	183,250.37	196,599.49
Other Interest Loss	(164.04)	(324.41)	(488.45)
Other Interest Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Non-advancing Interest	(11.00)	(78.00)	(89.00)
Net PPIS/Relief Act Shortfall	0.00	0.00	0.00
Modification Shortfall	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls	13,174.08	182,847.96	196,022.04
Interest Adjusted	635,481.11	2,968,897.05	3,604,378.16
Principal Summary			
Scheduled Principal Distribution	51,171.04	205,467.22	256,638.26
Curtailments	6,297.96	13,129.45	19,427.41
Prepayments in Full	485,582.38	10,433,596.42	10,919,178.80
Liquidation Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Repurchase Proceeds	0.00	142,255.75	142,255.75
Other Principal Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Less Mod Losses	0.00	0.00	0.00
Remittance Principal	543,051.38	10,794,448.84	11,337,500.22
Fee Summary			
Total Servicing Fees	36,075.15	183,043.73	219,118.88
Total Trustee Fees	0.00	0.00	0.00
LPMI Fees	0.00	0.00	0.00
Misc. Fees	73.00	607.00	680.00
Total Fees	36,148.15	183,043.73	219,191.88
Beginning Principal Balance	86,580,361.01	439,304,945.98	525,885,306.99
Ending Principal Balance	86,037,309.63	428,510,497.14	514,547,806.77



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Pool Detail and Performance Indicators Total (All Loans)**

Pool Detail				Performance Indicators				Misc/Additional Information			
Pool Level Information				Factors Impacting Principal Payment Rules				WA Rates/Life			
Historical	Amount	Count		Delinquency Levels	Num	Den	%		Fixed	Adj	Overall
Cutt-off Pool Balance	569,982,363.13	3,478		3 mo. Rolling Average	16,098,521	526,482,374	3.08%	WAC - Remit Current	8.61%	7.61%	7.78%
Cum Scheduled Principal	1,324,034.95			6 mo. Rolling Average	10,692,385	539,005,457	2.04%	WAC - Remit Original	8.62%	7.64%	7.80%
Cum Unscheduled Principal	54,110,552.86			12 mo. Rolling Average	10,692,385	539,005,457	2.04%	WAC - Current	9.11%	8.11%	8.28%
Cum Liquidations	0.00			Loss Levels	Amount	Count		WAC - Original	9.12%	8.14%	8.30%
Cum Deferred Interest	0.00			3 mo. Cum Loss	0.00	0		WAL - Current	263.18	352.12	337.37
				6 mo. Cum loss	0.00	0		WAL - Original	265.57	356.12	341.58
				12 mo. Cum Loss	0.00	0					
Current	Amount	Count	%	Triggers				Current Index Rate 5.385000%			
Beginning Pool	525,885,306.99	3,243	92.26%					Next Index Rate 5.324380%			
Scheduled Principal	256,638.26		0.05%								
Unscheduled Principal	10,938,606.21	59	1.92%	> Delinquency Trigger Event ⁽²⁾			NO	Prepayment Charges			
Deferred Interest	0.00		0.00%	Delinquency Event Calc ⁽¹⁾	16,098,520.60	514,547,807	3.13%		Amount	Count	
Liquidations	0.00	0	0.00%					Current	196,599.49	30	
Repurchases	142,255.75	1	0.02%	> Loss Trigger Event? ⁽³⁾			NO	Cumulative	642,872.91	117	
Ending Pool	514,547,806.77	3,183	90.27%	Cumulative Loss		0	0.00%				
Ending Actual Balance	514,855,328.52			> Overall Trigger Event?			NO	Pool Composition			
Average Loan Balance	161,654.98							Properties	Balance	%/Score	
Current Loss Detail	Amount			Step Down Date				Cut-off LTV	469,219,968.67	82.32%	
Liquidation	0.00			Distribution Count	5			Cash Out/Refinance	276,552,220.49	48.52%	
Realized Loss	0.00			Required Percentage ⁽⁴⁾	N/A			SFR	435,616,636.04	76.43%	
Realized Loss Adjustment	0.00			Step Down % ⁽⁵⁾	51.60%			Owner Occupied	532,374,503.30	93.40%	
Net Liquidation	0.00			% of Required Percentage ⁽⁶⁾	33.05%				Min	Max	WA
Credit Enhancement	Amount	%		> Step Down Date?			NO	FICO	500	802	622.30
Original OC	20,810,363.13	3.65%		Extra Principal	0.00						
Target OC	20,804,356.25	3.65%		Cumulative Extra Principal	0.00						
Beginning OC	20,804,356.25			OC Release	N/A						
Ending OC	20,804,356.25										
Most Senior Certificates	387,954,950.74										

Legend: (1) 60 Days+, REO, BK, F/C % (3) Condn: Cum Loss > specified thresholds (5) Defined Benchmark
(2) (1) > (6) * (4), then TRUE (4) Most Senior Certs + OC Amount / Ending Pool Bal (6) Defined Benchmark (Used in Delinq Event Calc)

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Bond Interest Reconciliation***

-- Accrual --					----- Recovered -----					----- Outstanding -----				
Class	Method	Days	Opening Balance	Pass-Thru Rate	Accrual Certificate Interest	Total Interest Additions	Total Interest Deductions	Distributable Certificate Interest	Interest Payment Amount	Interest Carry- Forward Amount	Floating Rate Certificate Carry- Over	Interest Carry- Forward Amount	Floating Rate Certificate Carry- Over	Net Cap Rate in Effect Y/N
A-1	Act/360	31	203,968,950.74	5.445000000%	956,359.42	0.00	0.00	956,359.42	956,359.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
A-2	Act/360	31	67,314,000.00	5.505000000%	319,096.41	0.00	0.00	319,096.41	319,096.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
A-3	Act/360	31	74,812,000.00	5.555000000%	357,861.12	0.00	0.00	357,861.12	357,861.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
A-4	Act/360	31	41,860,000.00	5.655000000%	203,840.76	0.00	0.00	203,840.76	203,840.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-1	Act/360	31	23,939,000.00	5.725000000%	118,015.95	0.00	0.00	118,015.95	118,015.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-2	Act/360	31	22,229,000.00	5.735000000%	109,777.30	0.00	0.00	109,777.30	109,777.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-3	Act/360	31	12,824,000.00	5.775000000%	63,772.68	0.00	0.00	63,772.68	63,772.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-4	Act/360	31	11,399,000.00	5.865000000%	57,569.70	0.00	0.00	57,569.70	57,569.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-5	Act/360	31	10,829,000.00	5.885000000%	54,877.46	0.00	0.00	54,877.46	54,877.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-6	Act/360	31	9,974,000.00	5.955000000%	51,145.84	0.00	0.00	51,145.84	51,145.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
B-1	Act/360	31	9,974,000.00	6.485000000%	55,697.86	0.00	0.00	55,697.86	55,697.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
B-2	Act/360	31	9,119,000.00	6.635000000%	52,101.15	0.00	0.00	52,101.15	52,101.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
B-3	Act/360	31	6,839,000.00	7.528030550%	44,333.62	41.04	0.00	44,374.66	44,374.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	Yes
C	30/360	30	525,885,306.99	2.201058300%	964,586.85	0.00	0.00	964,586.85	963,288.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
P			0.00	N/A	0.00	196,599.49	0.00	196,599.49	196,599.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
R			0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
Total			505,080,950.74		3,409,036.12	196,640.53	0.00	3,605,676.65	3,604,378.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	



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----- Additions -----													----- Deductions -----		
Class	Record Date	Prior Interest Due Date	Current Interest Due Date	Supplemental Interest Trust	Payments From Cap Contracts	Prepayment Premiums	Interest Carry-Forward	Floating Rate Certificate Carry-Over	Other Interest Proceeds ⁽¹⁾	Non-Supported Interest Shortfall	Interest Carry-Forward	Floating Rate Certificate Carry-Over			
A-1	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
A-2	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
A-3	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
A-4	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-1	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-2	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-3	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-4	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-5	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-6	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
B-1	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
B-2	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
B-3	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	41.04	0.00	0.00	0.00			
C	31-Jul-06	1-Jul-06	1-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
P	31-Jul-06	1-Jul-06	1-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	196,599.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
R	31-Jul-06	25-Jul-06	25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Total				0.00	0.00	196,599.49	0.00	0.00	41.04	0.00	0.00	0.00			

⁽¹⁾ Other Interest Proceeds are additional interest amounts specifically allocated to the bond(s) and used in determining the bonds Distributable Interest.

⁽²⁾ Interest Carry-Forward Shortfall is unpaid interest with interest thereon.

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----- Losses -----														- Credit Support -	
Class	Original Class Balance	Beginning Class Balance	Scheduled Principal Payment	Unscheduled Principal Payment	Extra Principal Payment	Prior Loss Reimburs.	Current Losses	Cumulative Losses	Interest on Losses	Ending Class Balance	Rated Final Maturity	Original	Current		
A-1	248,060,000.00	203,968,950.74	256,638.26	11,080,861.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	192,631,450.52	25-Mar-37	24.20%	26.81%		
A-2	67,314,000.00	67,314,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	67,314,000.00	25-Mar-37	24.20%	26.81%		
A-3	74,812,000.00	74,812,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	74,812,000.00	25-Mar-37	24.20%	26.81%		
A-4	41,860,000.00	41,860,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	41,860,000.00	25-Mar-37	24.20%	26.81%		
M-1	23,939,000.00	23,939,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	23,939,000.00	25-Mar-37	20.00%	22.15%		
M-2	22,229,000.00	22,229,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	22,229,000.00	25-Mar-37	16.10%	17.83%		
M-3	12,824,000.00	12,824,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12,824,000.00	25-Mar-37	13.85%	15.34%		
M-4	11,399,000.00	11,399,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,399,000.00	25-Mar-37	11.85%	13.13%		
M-5	10,829,000.00	10,829,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,829,000.00	25-Mar-37	9.95%	11.02%		
M-6	9,974,000.00	9,974,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,974,000.00	25-Mar-37	8.20%	9.08%		
B-1	9,974,000.00	9,974,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,974,000.00	25-Mar-37	6.45%	7.14%		
B-2	9,119,000.00	9,119,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,119,000.00	25-Mar-37	4.85%	5.37%		
B-3	6,839,000.00	6,839,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,839,000.00	25-Mar-37	3.65%	4.04%		
C	569,982,363.10	525,885,306.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	514,547,806.77	25-Mar-37	N/A	N/A		
P	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25-Mar-37	N/A	N/A		
R	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25-Mar-37	24.20%	N/A		
Total	549,172,100.00	505,080,950.74	256,638.26	11,080,861.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	493,743,450.52					



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Series 2006-HE2**

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Ratings Information***

----- Original Ratings -----						----- Ratings Change / Change Date ⁽¹⁾ -----			
Class	CUSIP	Fitch	Moody's	DBRS	S&P	Fitch	Moody's	DBRS	S&P
A-1	59020VAA1	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
A-2	59020VAB9	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
A-3	59020VAC7	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
A-4	59020VAD5	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
M-1	59020VAE3	NR	Aa1	NR	AA+				
M-2	59020VAF0	NR	Aa2	NR	AA				
M-3	59020VAG8	NR	Aa3	NR	AA				
M-4	59020VAH6	NR	A1	NR	AA				
M-5	59020VAJ2	NR	A2	NR	A+				
M-6	59020VAK9	NR	A3	NR	A				
B-1	59020VAL7	NR	Baa1	NR	A-				
B-2	59020VAM5	NR	Baa2	NR	BBB+				
B-3	59020VAN3	NR	Baa3	NR	BBB-				
C	59020VAP8	NR	NR	NR	NR				
P	59020VAQ6	NR	NR	NR	NR				
R	59020VAR4	NR	NR	NR	AAA				

NR - Designates that the class was not rated by the rating agency.

⁽¹⁾ Changed ratings provided on this report are based on information provided by the applicable rating agency via electronic transmission. It shall be understood that this transmission will generally have been provided to LaSalle within 30 days of the payment date listed on this statement. Because ratings may have changed during the 30 day window, or may not be being provided by the rating agency in an electronic format and therefore not being updated on this report, LaSalle recommends that investors obtain current rating information directly from the rating agency.



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Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Loan Status Summary Part I (as of Cut-Off)

Distribution Date	Count	Current Balance	Delinq 1 Month Count	Delinq 1 Month Balance	Delinq 2 Months Count	Delinq 2 Months Balance	Delinq 3+ Months Count	Delinq 3+ Months Balance	Bankruptcy Count	Bankruptcy Balance	Foreclosure Count	Foreclosure Balance	REO Count	REO Balance
<i>Total (All Loans)</i>														
25-Aug-06	2,930	468,920,344	117	21,646,521	49	10,575,586	31	3,914,879	7	553,410	47	8,519,725	2	417,342
25-Jul-06	3,044	492,062,851	103	18,226,368	48	8,406,965	19	3,120,646	3	230,193	26	3,838,283	0	0
26-Jun-06	3,155	513,213,081	98	17,082,394	32	5,340,747	14	1,720,554	2	167,287	9	1,489,945	0	0
25-May-06	3,298	537,021,612	69	11,968,989	32	5,058,771	0	0	1	107,590	0	0	0	0
25-Apr-06	3,371	551,961,082	61	9,226,937	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<i>Total (All Loans)</i>														
25-Aug-06	92.05%	91.13%	3.68%	4.21%	1.54%	2.06%	0.97%	0.76%	0.22%	0.11%	1.48%	1.66%	0.06%	0.08%
25-Jul-06	93.86%	93.57%	3.18%	3.47%	1.48%	1.60%	0.59%	0.59%	0.09%	0.04%	0.80%	0.73%	0.00%	0.00%
26-Jun-06	95.32%	95.21%	2.96%	3.17%	0.97%	0.99%	0.42%	0.32%	0.06%	0.03%	0.27%	0.28%	0.00%	0.00%
25-May-06	97.00%	96.91%	2.03%	2.16%	0.94%	0.91%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Apr-06	98.22%	98.36%	1.78%	1.64%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Delinquency Balances are Exclusive of REO, Foreclosures and Bankruptcies.



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Series 2006-HE2**

Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06

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Distribution Date	Current		Delinq 1 Month		Delinq 2 Months		Delinq 3+ Months		Bankruptcy		Foreclosure		REO	
	Count	Balance	Count	Balance	Count	Balance	Count	Balance	Count	Balance	Count	Balance	Count	Balance
<i>Fixed</i>														
25-Aug-06	877	80,613,377	25	2,002,330	9	839,351	18	1,271,429	4	291,781	13	1,019,042	0	0
25-Jul-06	895	82,059,528	22	1,691,471	17	1,523,668	9	681,769	1	59,732	9	564,193	0	0
26-Jun-06	917	83,808,949	26	2,382,464	8	709,171	10	718,221	1	59,767	4	298,070	0	0
25-May-06	962	87,555,199	14	1,303,252	15	1,091,594	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-Apr-06	970	88,980,861	25	1,783,948	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<i>Fixed</i>														
25-Aug-06	92.71%	93.70%	2.64%	2.33%	0.95%	0.98%	1.90%	1.48%	0.42%	0.34%	1.37%	1.18%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	93.91%	94.78%	2.31%	1.95%	1.78%	1.76%	0.94%	0.79%	0.10%	0.07%	0.94%	0.65%	0.00%	0.00%
26-Jun-06	94.93%	95.26%	2.69%	2.71%	0.83%	0.81%	1.04%	0.82%	0.10%	0.07%	0.41%	0.34%	0.00%	0.00%
25-May-06	97.07%	97.34%	1.41%	1.45%	1.51%	1.21%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Apr-06	97.49%	98.03%	2.51%	1.97%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

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Distribution Date	Count	Current Balance	Delinq 1 Month Count	Delinq 1 Month Balance	Delinq 2 Months Count	Delinq 2 Months Balance	Delinq 3+ Months Count	Delinq 3+ Months Balance	Bankruptcy Count	Bankruptcy Balance	Foreclosure Count	Foreclosure Balance	REO Count	REO Balance
ARM														
25-Aug-06	2,053	388,306,968	92	19,644,191	40	9,736,235	13	2,643,450	3	261,629	34	7,500,683	2	417,342
25-Jul-06	2,149	410,003,322	81	16,534,898	31	6,883,297	10	2,438,877	2	170,461	17	3,274,091	0	0
26-Jun-06	2,238	429,404,132	72	14,699,930	24	4,631,575	4	1,002,333	1	107,520	5	1,191,876	0	0
25-May-06	2,336	449,701,596	55	10,665,737	17	3,967,177	0	0	1	107,590	0	0	0	0
25-Apr-06	2,401	462,980,222	36	7,442,989	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ARM														
25-Aug-06	91.77%	90.62%	4.11%	4.58%	1.79%	2.27%	0.58%	0.62%	0.13%	0.06%	1.52%	1.75%	0.09%	0.10%
25-Jul-06	93.84%	93.33%	3.54%	3.76%	1.35%	1.57%	0.44%	0.56%	0.09%	0.04%	0.74%	0.75%	0.00%	0.00%
26-Jun-06	95.48%	95.20%	3.07%	3.26%	1.02%	1.03%	0.17%	0.22%	0.04%	0.02%	0.21%	0.26%	0.00%	0.00%
25-May-06	96.97%	96.83%	2.28%	2.30%	0.71%	0.85%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Apr-06	98.52%	98.42%	1.48%	1.58%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Delinquency Balances are Exclusive of REO, Foreclosures and Bankruptcies.



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Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Loan Status Summary Part II (as of Cut-Off)

----- In Foreclosure and Delinquent -----																									----- In REO and Delinquent -----										----- In Bankruptcy and Delinquent -----									
Distribution Date	Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days																					
	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance																				
Total (All Loans)																																												
25-Aug-06	0	0	0	0	1	52,844	46	8,466,881	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	417,342	3	243,024	1	48,757	0	0	3	261,629																			
25-Jul-06	0	0	0	0	1	55,521	25	3,782,762	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	167,182	0	0	1	63,011	0	0																				
26-Jun-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1,489,945	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	167,287	0	0	0	0	0	0																				
25-May-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	107,590	0	0	0	0	0	0																				
25-Apr-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0																				

Total (All Loans)																								
25-Aug-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	1.45%	1.65%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.06%	0.08%	0.09%	0.05%	0.03%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.09%	0.05%
25-Jul-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	0.77%	0.72%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.06%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
26-Jun-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.27%	0.28%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.06%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-May-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Apr-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%



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----- In Foreclosure and Delinquent -----								----- In REO and Delinquent -----								----- In Bankruptcy and Delinquent -----								
Distribution Date	#	Current Balance	#	31-60 Days Balance	#	61-90 Days Balance	#	90 + Days Balance	#	Current Balance	#	31-60 Days Balance	#	61-90 Days Balance	#	90 + Days Balance	#	Current Balance	#	31-60 Days Balance	#	61-90 Days Balance	#	90 + Days Balance
Fixed																								
25-Aug-06	0	0	0	0	1	52,844	12	966,198	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	243,024	1	48,757	0	0	0	0
25-Jul-06	0	0	0	0	1	55,521	8	508,671	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	59,732	0	0	0	0	0	0
26-Jun-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	298,070	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	59,767	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-May-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-Apr-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fixed																								
25-Aug-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.11%	0.06%	1.27%	1.12%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.32%	0.28%	0.11%	0.06%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.06%	0.84%	0.59%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.07%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
26-Jun-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.41%	0.34%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.07%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-May-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Apr-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%



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Series 2006-HE2

Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06

Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Loan Status Summary Part II (as of Cut-Off)

----- In Foreclosure and Delinquent -----								----- In REO and Delinquent -----								----- In Bankruptcy and Delinquent -----								
Distribution Date	#	Current Balance	#	31-60 Days Balance	#	61-90 Days Balance	#	90 + Days Balance	#	Current Balance	#	31-60 Days Balance	#	61-90 Days Balance	#	90 + Days Balance	#	Current Balance	#	31-60 Days Balance	#	61-90 Days Balance	#	90 + Days Balance
ARM																								
25-Aug-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	7,500,683	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	417,342	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	261,629
25-Jul-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	3,274,091	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	107,450	0	0	1	63,011	0	0
26-Jun-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1,191,876	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	107,520	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-May-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	107,590	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-Apr-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ARM																								
25-Aug-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	1.52%	1.75%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.09%	0.10%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.13%	0.06%
25-Jul-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.74%	0.75%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
26-Jun-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.21%	0.26%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-May-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Apr-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Payoff/Loss Summary***

Distribution Date	Ending Pool #	Ending Pool Balance	Payoffs #	Payoffs Balance	Insurance Proceeds	Substitution Proceeds	Liquidation Proceeds	Realized Losses #	Realized Losses Amount	Remaining Term Life	Curr Weighted Avg. Coupon	Remit
<i>Total (All Loans)</i>												
25-Aug-06	3,183	514,547,807	59	10,919,179	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	337	8.28%	7.78%
25-Jul-06	3,243	525,885,307	67	12,843,955	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	338	8.28%	7.78%
26-Jun-06	3,310	539,014,007	75	13,050,951	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	339	8.29%	7.79%
25-May-06	3,400	554,156,962	38	6,485,017	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	340	8.30%	7.80%
25-Apr-06	3,432	561,188,019	46	8,487,823	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	341	8.30%	7.80%
<i>Fixed</i>												
25-Aug-06	946	86,037,310	7	485,582	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	262	9.13%	8.63%
25-Jul-06	953	86,580,361	13	1,336,361	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	263	9.13%	8.63%
26-Jun-06	966	87,976,643	20	1,661,877	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	264	9.12%	8.62%
25-May-06	991	89,950,044	8	862,001	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	263	9.12%	8.62%
25-Apr-06	995	90,764,809	13	969,860	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	265	9.14%	8.64%



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Payoff/Loss Summary***

Distribution Date	Ending Pool #	Ending Pool Balance	Payoffs #	Payoffs Balance	Insurance Proceeds	Substitution Proceeds	Liquidation Proceeds	Realized Losses #	Realized Losses Amount	Remaining Term Life	Curr Weighted Avg. Coupon	Remit
ARM												
25-Aug-06	2,237	428,510,497	52	10,433,596	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	352	8.11%	7.61%
25-Jul-06	2,290	439,304,946	54	11,507,593	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	353	8.12%	7.62%
26-Jun-06	2,344	451,037,365	55	11,389,073	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	354	8.13%	7.63%
25-May-06	2,409	464,442,100	30	5,623,016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	355	8.14%	7.64%
25-Apr-06	2,437	470,423,211	33	7,517,963	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	356	8.14%	7.64%



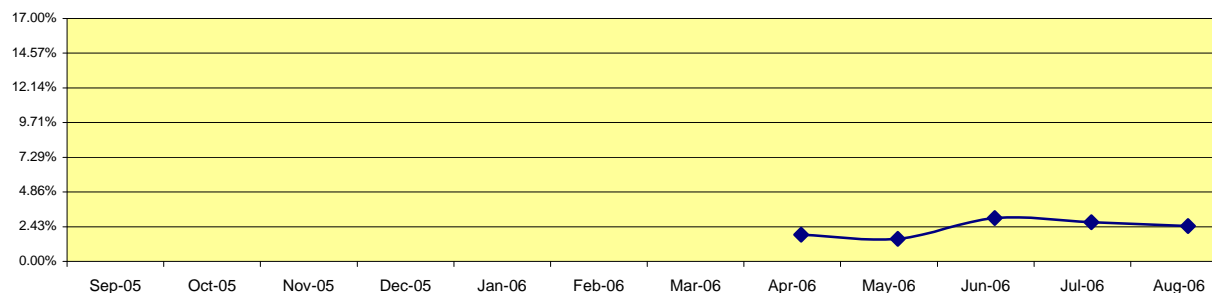
**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Prepayment Summary***

SMM (Single Monthly Mortality)

Total

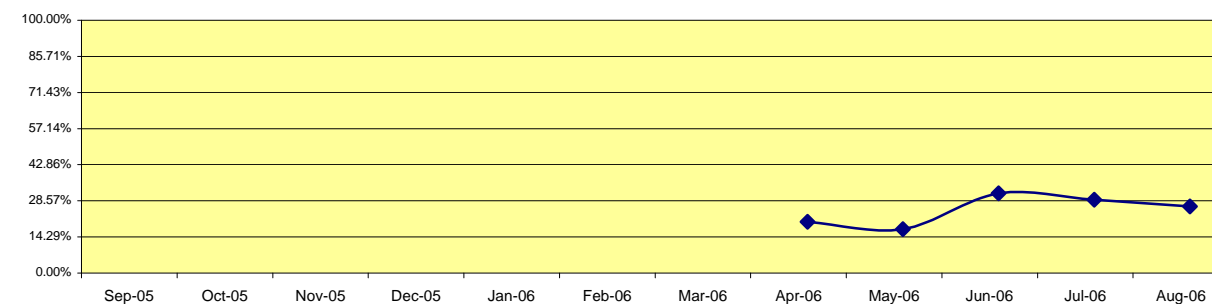
Current Period	2.10%
3-Month Average	2.39%
6-Month Average	1.97%
12-Month Average	1.97%
Average Since Cut-Off	1.97%



CPR (Conditional Prepayment Rate)

Total

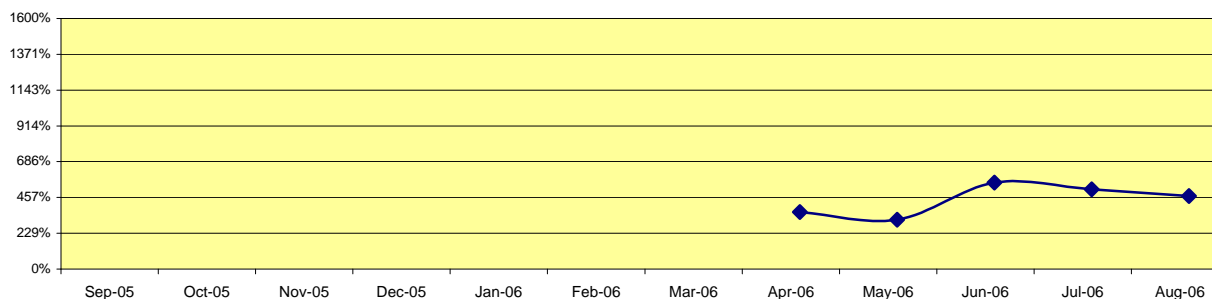
Current Period	22.52%
3-Month Average	25.13%
6-Month Average	21.08%
12-Month Average	21.08%
Average Since Cut-Off	21.08%



PSA (Public Securities Association)

Total

Current Period	375%
3-Month Average	419%
6-Month Average	351%
12-Month Average	351%
Average Since Cut-Off	351%



SMM	Single Monthly Mortality	(Partial and Full Prepayments + Repurchases + Liquidations) / (Beginning Collateral Balance - Scheduled Principal)
CPR	Conditional Prepayment Rate	$1 - (1 - \text{SMM})^{12}$
PSA	Public Securities Association	$100 * \text{CPR} / (0.2 * \text{MIN}(30, \text{WAS}))$
WAS	Weighted Average Seasoning	$(\text{Original Term} - \text{Remaining Term}) * (\text{Current Scheduled Balance} / \text{Deal Scheduled Principal Balance})$



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part I***

Distribution by Current Ending Principal Balance

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
10,000	to 46,000	313	9.83%	10,702,131	2.08%
46,000	to 62,000	259	8.14%	13,961,617	2.71%
62,000	to 78,000	274	8.61%	19,078,897	3.71%
78,000	to 94,000	210	6.60%	18,057,407	3.51%
94,000	to 110,000	237	7.45%	24,204,414	4.70%
110,000	to 128,000	301	9.46%	35,919,257	6.98%
128,000	to 167,000	452	14.20%	66,770,163	12.98%
167,000	to 206,000	312	9.80%	57,336,691	11.14%
206,000	to 245,000	226	7.10%	50,368,181	9.79%
245,000	to 284,000	160	5.03%	42,390,552	8.24%
284,000	to 324,000	122	3.83%	36,836,315	7.16%
324,000	to 908,000	317	9.96%	138,922,182	27.00%
		3,183	100.00%	514,547,807	100.00%

Distribution by Cut-off Principal Balance

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
10,000	to 46,000	345	9.92%	11,885,140	2.09%
46,000	to 63,000	296	8.51%	16,201,609	2.84%
63,000	to 80,000	300	8.63%	21,411,144	3.76%
80,000	to 97,000	239	6.87%	21,193,146	3.72%
97,000	to 114,000	270	7.76%	28,550,535	5.01%
114,000	to 131,000	295	8.48%	36,121,896	6.34%
131,000	to 170,000	495	14.23%	74,709,942	13.11%
170,000	to 209,000	335	9.63%	62,984,503	11.05%
209,000	to 248,000	237	6.81%	53,462,167	9.38%
248,000	to 287,000	180	5.18%	48,052,481	8.43%
287,000	to 328,000	138	3.97%	42,171,681	7.40%
328,000	to 911,000	348	10.01%	153,238,118	26.88%
		3,478	100.00%	569,982,363	100.00%

Distribution by Current Mortgage Rate

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
5.25%	to 6.98%	316	9.93%	74,735,006	14.52%
6.98%	to 7.30%	199	6.25%	42,929,038	8.34%
7.30%	to 7.61%	259	8.14%	55,213,800	10.73%
7.61%	to 7.92%	273	8.58%	57,105,086	11.10%
7.92%	to 8.23%	246	7.73%	50,571,270	9.83%
8.23%	to 8.60%	301	9.46%	54,642,218	10.62%
8.60%	to 9.06%	345	10.84%	58,729,197	11.41%
9.06%	to 9.53%	240	7.54%	34,199,586	6.65%
9.53%	to 10.00%	373	11.72%	36,547,995	7.10%
10.00%	to 10.47%	149	4.68%	13,640,558	2.65%
10.47%	to 10.98%	130	4.08%	12,635,662	2.46%
10.98%	to 14.11%	352	11.06%	23,598,390	4.59%
		3,183	100.00%	514,547,807	100.00%

Distribution by Original Mortgage Rate

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
5.25%	to 6.98%	337	9.69%	80,733,823	14.16%
6.98%	to 7.31%	233	6.70%	50,965,767	8.94%
7.31%	to 7.64%	270	7.76%	57,149,067	10.03%
7.64%	to 7.97%	324	9.32%	69,872,667	12.26%
7.97%	to 8.30%	274	7.88%	54,679,454	9.59%
8.30%	to 8.64%	301	8.65%	55,533,944	9.74%
8.64%	to 9.09%	380	10.93%	64,754,887	11.36%
9.09%	to 9.56%	271	7.79%	40,728,349	7.15%
9.56%	to 10.03%	399	11.47%	40,255,119	7.06%
10.03%	to 10.50%	193	5.55%	17,983,043	3.16%
10.50%	to 10.98%	112	3.22%	11,334,876	1.99%
10.98%	to 14.11%	384	11.04%	25,991,365	4.56%
		3,478	100.00%	569,982,363	100.00%



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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part II***

Distribution by Product Characteristics (Current)

Product Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Adjustable	2,237	428,510,497	83.28%	352.12	8.11%
Fixed 1st Lien	304	45,778,400	8.90%	341.50	7.75%
Fixed 2nd Lien	642	40,258,910	7.82%	171.91	10.66%

Total	3,183	514,547,807	100.00%		
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Distribution by Product Characteristics (Cut-off)

Product Type	# of Loans	Original Principal Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Adjustable	2,470	478,182,663	83.89%	360.00	8.14%
Fixed 1st Lien	319	48,546,264	8.52%	347.14	7.76%
Fixed 2nd Lien	689	43,253,437	7.59%	180.89	10.68%

Total	3,478	569,982,363	100.00%		
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Distribution by Property Types (Current)

Property Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
SF Unattached Dwelling	2,470	388,958,707	75.59%	338.32	8.31%
PUD	366	68,519,678	13.32%	330.26	8.16%
Condo - Low Facility	238	35,348,907	6.87%	331.60	8.32%
Multifamily	106	20,761,037	4.03%	344.86	7.98%
SF Attached Dwelling	2	615,678	0.12%	352.00	7.93%
Condo - High Facility	1	343,800	0.07%	354.00	9.60%

Total	3,183	514,547,807	100.00%		
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Distribution by Property Types (Cut-off)

Property Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
SF Unattached Dwelling	2,718	434,739,664	76.27%	346.42	8.34%
PUD	392	73,853,175	12.96%	338.77	8.15%
Condo - Low Facility	249	37,017,912	6.49%	339.78	8.32%
Multifamily	115	23,150,841	4.06%	353.57	7.98%
SF Attached Dwelling	3	876,972	0.15%	360.00	8.77%
Condo - High Facility	1	343,800	0.06%	360.00	9.60%

Total	3,478	569,982,363	100.00%		
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Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part II***

Distribution by Occupancy Type (Current)

Occupancy Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Owner Occupied - Primary Residence	2,907	477,028,373	92.71%	336.10	8.24%
Non-Owner Occupied	245	33,037,411	6.42%	350.06	8.82%
Owner Occupied - Secondary Residence	31	4,482,022	0.87%	345.02	8.60%

Total 3,183 514,547,807 100.00%

Distribution by Loan Purpose (Current)

Loan Purpose	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Purchase	1,857	270,493,202	52.57%	329.24	8.33%
Refinance/Equity Takeout	1,160	214,703,700	41.73%	347.32	8.19%
Refinance/No Cash Out	166	29,350,904	5.70%	334.33	8.36%

Total 3,183 514,547,807 100.00%

Distribution by Occupancy Type (Cut-off)

Occupancy Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Owner Occupied - Primary Residence	3,163	527,207,627	92.50%	344.34	8.26%
Non-Owner Occupied	279	37,607,860	6.60%	357.73	8.85%
Owner Occupied - Secondary Residence	36	5,166,877	0.91%	353.81	8.69%

Total 3,478 569,982,363 100.00%

Distribution by Loan Purpose (Cut-off)

Loan Purpose	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Purchase	1,999	293,430,143	51.48%	337.45	8.36%
Refinance/Equity Takeout	1,296	243,756,324	42.77%	355.04	8.22%
Refinance/No Cash Out	183	32,795,896	5.75%	343.35	8.40%

Total 3,478 569,982,363 100.00%



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Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part II***

Distribution by Originator Concentration > 10% (Current)

Originator	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Acoustic	1,293	207,109,871	40.25%	331.41	8.16%
First Horizon	922	126,978,403	24.68%	350.15	8.52%
Impac	335	73,672,019	14.32%	328.08	8.39%

Distribution by Originator Concentration > 10% (Cut-off)

Originator	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Acoustic	1,400	227,517,802	39.92%	340.02	8.18%
First Horizon	1,020	142,945,356	25.08%	357.62	8.56%
Impac	383	84,383,045	14.80%	336.88	8.41%

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***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Geographic Concentration***

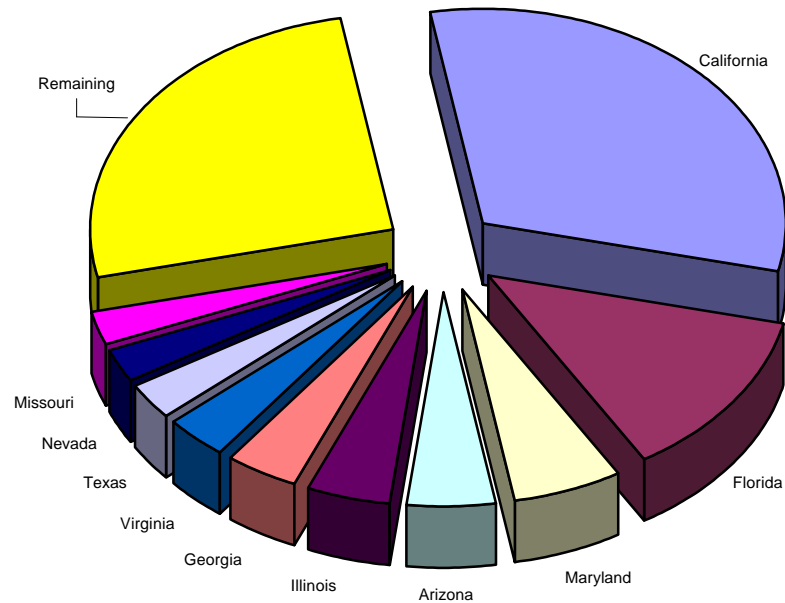
Top 10 Current State Concentration

Geographic Distribution	# of Loans	Balance ⁽¹⁾	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
California	657	160,900,698	31.27%	329	8.06%
Florida	427	66,934,618	13.01%	341	8.24%
Maryland	161	29,059,562	5.65%	337	8.33%
Arizona	168	25,151,456	4.89%	339	8.06%
Illinois	158	22,749,309	4.42%	336	8.10%
Georgia	152	20,050,273	3.90%	338	8.66%
Virginia	93	16,569,422	3.22%	338	8.42%
Texas	123	14,050,706	2.73%	347	8.58%
Nevada	71	13,585,350	2.64%	338	8.03%
Missouri	141	13,148,434	2.56%	342	8.62%
Remaining	1,032	132,347,979	25.72%	343	8.50%

Top 10 Original State Concentration

Geographic Distribution	# of Loans	Balance ⁽¹⁾	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
California	728	179,388,705	31.47%	338	8.08%
Florida	451	71,198,417	12.49%	349	8.25%
Maryland	188	34,185,692	6.00%	342	8.39%
Arizona	187	28,454,810	4.99%	347	8.15%
Illinois	185	27,563,837	4.84%	344	8.13%
Georgia	159	20,821,111	3.65%	347	8.65%
Virginia	105	19,241,747	3.38%	348	8.46%
Texas	130	14,946,975	2.62%	354	8.59%
Washington	86	14,479,576	2.54%	343	8.21%
Nevada	73	14,062,214	2.47%	346	8.07%
Remaining	1,186	145,639,278	25.55%	352	8.58%

Top 10 Current State Concentration



⁽¹⁾ Based on Current Period Ending Principal Balance



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Current Period Realized Loss Detail***

Disclosure Control #	Period	Original Liquidation Balance	Net Liquidation Proceeds	Loss-Loan Non- adjusted	Loss to Trust	Loss-Certs Non- adjusted	Subsequent Recov/(Exp)	Loss-Loan Adjusted	Loss-Certs Adjusted	Liq Type	Adj Type



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Historical Realized Loss Summary
Total (All Loans)***

----- Current Realized Loss -----					----- Previous Liquidations/Payoffs -----							
Distribution Date	Beginning Scheduled Balance	Net Liquidation Proceeds	Realized Loss	Loan Count	Claims on Prior Liquidations		Recovery on Prior Liquidations		(Claims)/Recoveries on Prior Payoffs		Realized Loss Adjusted	Cumulative Realized Loss
					Amount	Count	Amount	Count	Amount	Count		
25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
25-Jul-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
26-Jun-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
25-May-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
25-Apr-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
Total	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	

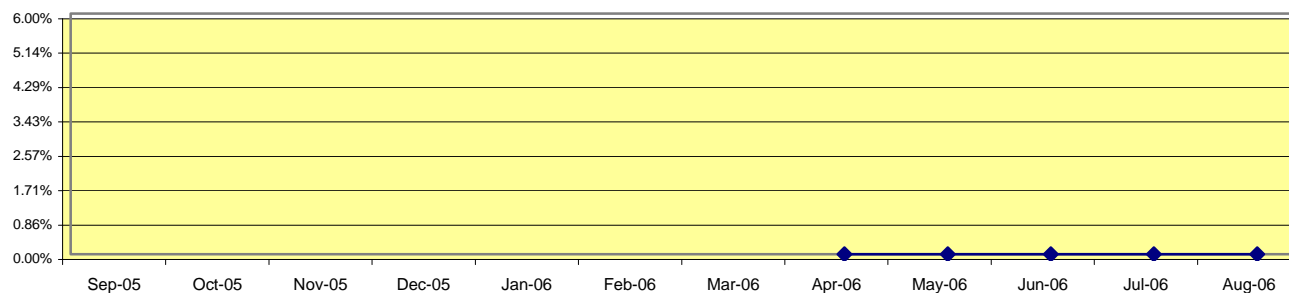
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Realized Loss Summary***

MDR (monthly Default Rate)

Total

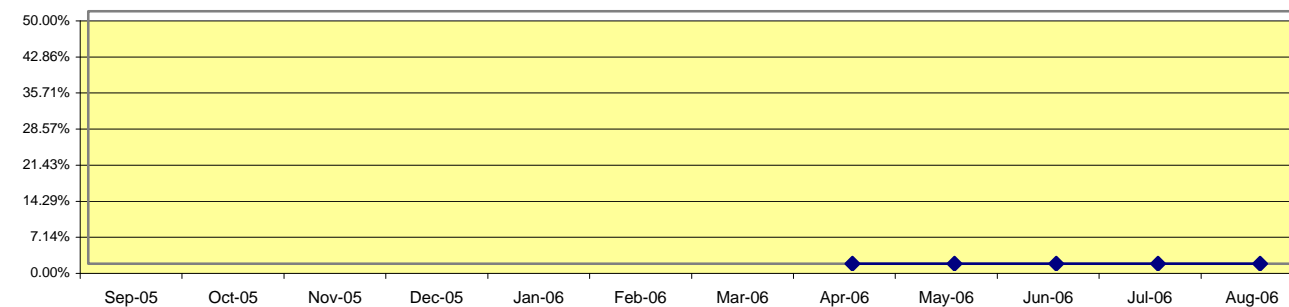
Current Period	0.00%
3-Month Average	0.00%
6-Month Average	0.00%
12-Month Average	0.00%
Average Since Cut-Off	0.00%



CDR (Conditional Default Rate)

Total

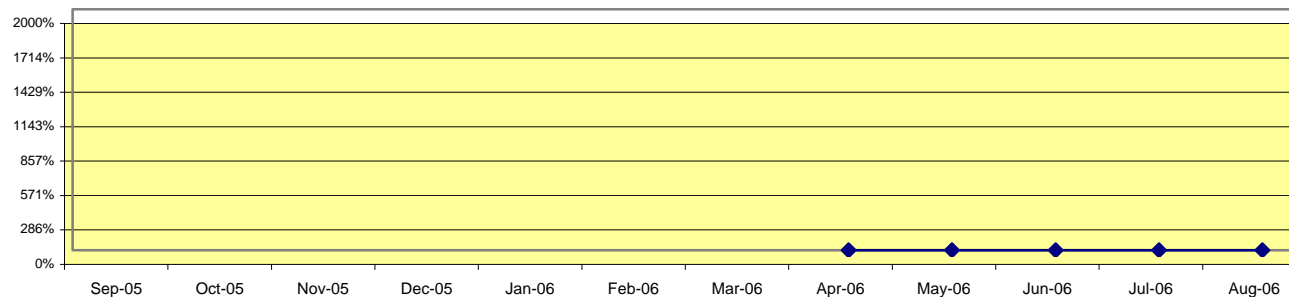
Current Period	0.00%
3-Month Average	0.00%
6-Month Average	0.00%
12-Month Average	0.00%
Average Since Cut-Off	0.00%



SDA (Standard Default Assumption)

Total

Current Period	0.00%
3-Month Average	0.00%
6-Month Average	0.00%
12-Month Average	0.00%
Average Since Cut-Off	0.00%



MDR	Monthly Default Rate	$(\text{Beginning Principal Balance of Liquidated Loans}) / (\text{Total Beginning Principal Balance})$
CDR	Conditional Default Rate	$1 - (1 - \text{MDR})^{12}$
SDA	Standard Default Assumption	If WAS=30 then CDR/(WAS*0.02) else if 30<WAS=60 then CDR/0.6 else if 60<WAS=120 then CDR/(0.6-((WAS-60)*0.0095)) else if WAS>120 then CDR/0.03
WAS	Weighted Average Seasoning	$(\text{Original Term} - \text{Remaining Term}) * (\text{Current Scheduled Balance} / \text{Deal Scheduled Principal Balance})$



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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Servicemembers Civil Relief Act***

Disclosure Control #	Beginning Balance	Scheduled Principal	Unscheduled Principal	Ending balance	Loan Rate	P&I Amount	Scheduled Interest	Interest Received	Relief Act Interest Shortfall
1812265	197,108.05	206.72	0.00	196,901.33	7.98%	1,516.67	1,309.95	985.54	324.41
1812760	49,334.75	51.67	0.00	49,283.08	9.99%	462.38	410.71	246.67	164.04
Total	246,442.80	258.39	0.00	246,184.41		1,979.05	1,720.66	1,232.21	488.45



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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Material Breaches Detail***

Disclosure Control #	Loan Group #	Ending Principal Balance	Material Breach Date	Material Breach Description
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Material breaches of pool asset representation or warranties or transaction covenants.



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
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Series 2006-HE2**

***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Modified Loan Detail***

Disclosure Control #	Loan Group #	Modified Maturity Date	Cutoff Maturity Date	Modification Description
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Modifications include any extensions or waivers to the mortgage loan terms, fees, penalties or payments during the preceding calendar month or that have become material over time.



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
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***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Collateral Asset Changes***

Disclosure Control
#

Beginning Principal Balance

Description



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***Distribution Date: 25-Aug-06
Historical Collateral Level REO Report***

Disclosure Control #	REO Date	City	State	Property Type	Actual Balance	Scheduled Balance	Recent Appraisal Value	Appraisal Date	Appraisal Reduction Amount	Date Liquidated	Liquidation Proceeds	Liquidation Expenses	Realized Loss
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