FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* OATES JOSEPH P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ED]								ck all application	able)	10% Ow		ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. 4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2008								X Unicer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President & Treasurer				
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10009					4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Adividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable b) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(Sta	te) (2	Zip)															
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Ber	neficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Code (Instr.		ies Acquire Of (D) (Inst	d (A) or r. 3, 4 and 5	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	s Illy ollowing	Form:	Direct Indirect Estr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			-	instr. 4)
Common S	5/2008	/2008			M		545	A	(1)	3,366.3			D					
Common Stock 01/16						′2008			D ⁽²⁾		545	545 D \$		2,83	37.7 ⁽³⁾		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemd Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of E		Expiratio	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		of Securitie		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Performance Restriced Stock Units (Phantom Stock)	(4)	01/16/2008					3,300		(5)		(5)	Common Stock	3,300(6)	(1)	3,300 ⁽⁾	6)	D	
Performance Restriced Stock Units (Phantom	(4)	01/16/2008			М			545	01/16/20	08 (01/16/2008	Common Stock	545 ⁽⁷⁾	(1)	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Not Applicable.
- 2. Performance Restricted Stock Units (phantom stock) ("PRSU's") cash-out pursuant to the terms of the Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan").
- 3. Total includes 16.4 DSUs acquired pursuant to the Plan's dividend reinvestment provision.
- 4. PRSU's are converted into common stock on a 1 for 1 basis.
- 5. PRSU's granted under the Company's Plan. The PRSU's will vest in 2011 when they are determined and awarded by the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of
- 6. The number of shares (or cash equivalents) will be adjusted based on certain performance criteria, including criteria other than the market price, specified under the Company's Plan.
- 7. The number of shares (or cash equivalents) were adjusted based on certain performance criteria, including criteria other than the market price, specified under the Company's Plan.

Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-**Fact**

01/18/2008 ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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