FORM 4

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 0	Person <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC</u> [ ED ]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
MCMAHON	<u>I JOHN D</u>				Director	10% Owner				
(l. oot)	(First)	(Middle)		x	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		President & C	EO. O&R				
CONSOLIDAT	ED EDISON,	INC. C/O SECRETARY	01/09/2006			,				
4 IRVING PLA	CE; ROOM 1	518-S								
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filin	g (Check Applicable Line)				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
		Table I - Non-Der	ivative Securities Acquired. Disposed of, or Benefi	cially O	wned					

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ransaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/09/2006		М		2,476.401	A	(1)	57,684.0612	D	
Common Stock	01/09/2006		<b>J</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		2,476.401	D	\$46.575	55,207.6602	D	
Common Stock								1,727.4045	Ι	TRASOP
Common Stock								471.444	Ι	THRIFT

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

	1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
	EIP Stock	(3)	01/09/2006		М			2,476.401 <sup>(4)</sup>	01/01/2006	01/01/2006	Common Stock	2,476.401(4)	(1)	0	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Not Applicable.

2. Equivalent stock units (phantom stock) cash out pursuant to the terms of the Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. Executive Incentive Plan, based on plan statement received 01/09/06.

3. Equivalent stock units are converted into common stock on a 1- for -1 basis.

4. Includes shares acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment provisions of the Executive Incentive Plan.

## **Remarks:**

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-Fact 01/11/2006 \*\* 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).

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