FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] MCMAHON JOHN D	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) Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. C/O SECRETARY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/07/2006	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) President & CEO, O&R
4 IRVING PLACE; ROOM 1618-S (Street) NEW YORK NY 10003 (City) (State) (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V		Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/30/2006	04/07/2006	Р		0.2801(1)	Α	\$44.88	55,208.2074	D	
Common Stock								1,771.52 ⁽²⁾	Ι	Tax Reduction Act Stock Ownership Plan (TRASOP)
Common Stock								483.499 ⁽³⁾	I	By THRIFT PLAN

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)		of		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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes shares of common stock of Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment provision of the Company's Stock Purchase Plan.

2. Includes 21.8876 shares of the Company's common stock acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment provision of the Company's Tax Reduction Act Stock Ownership Plan ("TRASOP") since the date of the reporting person's last Form 4. Information in this report is based on a plan statement as of 03/31/06.

3. Includes 5.998 shares of the Company's common stock acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment provision of the Company's Thrift Plan since the date of the reporting person's last Form 4. Information in this report is based on a plan statement as of 03/31/06.

Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-

<u>Fact</u>

07/10/2006

** 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).

** 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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