#### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Tai Luther					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ ED ]									(Ch	eck all ap Dire			Issuer Owner r (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. 4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011										^ belo	below) below)  SVP Enterprise Shared Services				
(Street)  NEW YO  (City)			10009 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. I									e) <mark>X</mark> For For	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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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. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo	rative rities iired r osed ) . 3, 4	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/L	on Dat		Amou Secur Unde Deriv	rities rlying ative rity (Ins	tr. 3	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Purchase of shares of common stock of Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") under the Company's Stock Purchase Plan.
- 2. Includes 229.98 Deferred Stock Units ("DSU") acquired on December 15, 2011 pursuant to the Company Long Term Incentive Plan's dividend reinvestment provision. Each DSU represents one share of the Company's common stock.

# Remarks:

Carole Sobin; Attorney-in-Fact 01/06/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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