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* SUTHERLAND L FREDERICK					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ ED ]											licable)	g Person(s) to	o Issuer 6 Owner		
	LIDATED I	EDISON, INC.	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/30/2012										Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)		
4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S  (Street)					4. If	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					
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Deferred Stock Units ("DSU") acquired pursuant to a voluntary deferral of meeting and retainer fees in accordance with Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Each DSU represents one share of the Company's common stock.

2. Includes 170.77 DSUs acquired on March 15, 2012 pursuant to the Plan's dividend reinvestment provision.

## Remarks:

Carole Sobin; Attorney-in-Fact 04/02/2012

\*\* 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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