FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     VOLK STEPHEN R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ ED ]									heck all app X Direc	olicable) ctor	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2008										Offic belo	er (give title w)	Other below	(specify
388 GREENWICH STREET  (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			
NEW YORK NY 10013															n filed by Moi	re than One Re		
(City) (State) (Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securit Disposed 5)		ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			d Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	) or ))	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(111501.4)
Common Stock 01/16/					5/2008				A		31.99(1	1)	A	\$46.	89 28	3,508.5	D	
Common Stock 01/17/					/2008						64.6(1)		A	\$46.	44 28	3,573.1	D	
	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. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	Date, Transaction Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

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

## Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-**Fact** \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/18/2008

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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