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* <u>DEL GIUDICE MICHAEL J</u>																	olicable)	g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
	NIUM CR	EDIT MARKET	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/23/2003										Office below	er (give title w)		Other (specify below)	
15 WEST 48TH STREET (Street) NEW YORK NY 10020				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)		-											Pers	on			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed			
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Common Stock 12/23				2003		P		73.801 ⁽	1)	A	\$40.65		9,023.2553 ⁽²⁾		D					
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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. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Exerci on Da Day/Yo		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	bhip D) ect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Deferred Stock Units acquired pursuant to voluntary deferral of retainer fee in accordance with Consolidated Edison's Long Term Incentive Plan.
- 2. Total includes 63.389 Deferred Stock Units acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment feature of Consolidated Edison's Long Term Incentive Plan based on plan statement as of December 23, 2003.

Remarks:

James J. Dixon; Attorney-in-

12/23/2003

Fact ** 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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