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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u>Hernandez Sally</u>) Person*	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) X Director 10% Owner				
1	(Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. C/O SECRETARY		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/29/2006	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
4 IRVING PLACE; ROOM 1618-S			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)				X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

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. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/29/2006		A		9.795 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$45.94	16,628.2435	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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D)	Derivative (Month/Day/ Securities Acquired A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4		ate	Amount of		Amount of Securities Security Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3		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. Deferred Stock Units acquired pursuant to a voluntary deferral of meeting fees in accordance with Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") Long Term Incentive Plan. Each Stock Unit represents one share of the Company's Common Stock.

Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-

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08/30/2006

** 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).

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