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>Hernandez Sally</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ ED ]											licable)	g Person(s) to	S Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. C/O SECRETARY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/20/2006										Officer (give title below)			er (specify	
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) NEW YORK NY 10003															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	ate) (	Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Exe ) if a	Deemed ecution Date, ny onth/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.			ties Acquired (A) o I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Sec Ber Ow		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										v	Amount (A)		) or )	Price			ed ction(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 07/20/2							2006		A		29.151 <sup>(1)</sup> A		A	\$46.	.31	16,556.0574		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)	if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date I Expirati (Month/I	on Dat	e Amo ar) Secu Unde Deriv Secu		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriva Secur (Instr.	ative rity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (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. Each Stock Unit represents one share of the Company's Common Stock.

## Remarks:

<u>Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact</u>

07/24/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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