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>CALARCO VINCENT A</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ED]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Loot) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2005									Off bel	cer (give title ow)	Oth bel	er (specify ow)	
(Street) WOODBRIDGE CT 06525 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lir	ne) X Fo	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	lly Owr	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Date						Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)							6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect		
										v	Amount (A) (C)) or)	Price	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)		(instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05/17/2							2005		A		1,500(1)		A	\$45.	54 6,	017.237(2)	D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)			ansaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Deferred Stock Units granted pursuant to the Consolidated Edison, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan.
- 2. Total includes 54.169 Deferred Stock Units acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment feature of the Consolidated Edison Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan.

Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-

Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/19/2005

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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