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>SUTHERLAND L FREDERICK</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ ED ]									Check all	ship of Reportii applicable) rector	ng Pers	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
	(Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2008									ficer (give title low)		Other ( below)	(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	tate) (	Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	es Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	fici	ally Ow	ned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed (Code (Instr. 5)			ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Sed Bed Ow	amount of curities neficially ned Following ported	Form	nership : Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Tra	nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(msu. 4)				
Common Stock 09/17/2						2008					33.36	1)	Α	\$44	.97	7 8,843.09		D		
Common Stock 09/18/2						/2008					68.38	2)	A	\$43	.87	7 8,911.47		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)	erivative Conversion Date Execu- ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					ransaction Code (Instr.		n of		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)		O Fo Di or (I)	o. wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect (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 the Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") Long Term Incentive Plan ("LTIP"). Each Stock Unit represents one share of the Company's Common Stock.
- 2. Deferred Stock Units acquired pursuant to a voluntary deferral of meeting fees in accordance with the Company LTIP. Each Stock Unit represents one share of the Company's Common Stock.

## Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-

09/19/2008

**Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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