SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

AMENDMENT NO. 2

APPLICATION/DECLARATION

ON FORM U-1

UNDER THE PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANY ACT OF 1935

CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC.

NORTHEAST UTILITIES 174 Brush Hill Ave

4 Irving Place

New York, New York 10003

West Springfield, MA 01090-0010

(Names of companies filing this statement and addresses of principal executive offices.)

Consolidated Edison, Inc.

(Name of top registered holding company)

Peter A. Irwin Consolidated Edison, Inc. Cheryl W. Grise General Counsel

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Northeast Utilities Service Company

New York, New York 10003

107 Selden Street Berlin, CT 06037

(Name and address of agents for service)

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The Application/declaration in this file is hereby amended by filing the following exhibits:

ITEM 6. Exhibits and Financial Statements

- (a) Exhibits
- (b) Financial Statements - Pro Forma Financial Statements of New CEI

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirement of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended, the undersigned companies have duly caused this statement to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: June 14, 2000

Consolidated Edison, Inc.

/s/Joan S. Freilich Name: Joan S. Freilich

Title: Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

Northeast Utilities

/s/Cheryl W. Grise Name: Cheryl W. Grise

Title: Senior Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel

NEW CON EDISON UNAUDITED PRO FORMA COMBINED CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET AS OF MARCH 31, 2000 (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	Con Edison Historical	Northeast Historical	Pro Forma Adjustments	Pro Forma Combined
ASSETS				
Utility plant, net Other property and investments Cash and temporary cash investments Accounts receivable, net Other current assets Regulatory assets and deferred charges Goodwill	\$11,442,702 490,173 73,604 706,053 695,500 1,621,408 424,691	\$ 4,301,035 908,455 369,738 448,356 559,745 3,808,307 345,372	\$1,966,373 (B) (345,372)(B)	\$15,743,737 1,398,628 443,342 1,154,409 1,255,245 5,429,715 2,391,064
Total Assets	\$15,454,131 ========	\$10,741,008	\$1,621,001 =======	\$27,816,140
CAPITALIZATION AND LIABILITIESCapitalization				
Common shareholders' equity Preferred stock subject to mandatory redemption Preferred stock not subject to mandatory	\$ 5,424,129 37,050	\$ 2,363,999 119,789	\$(396,499)(C)	\$ 7,391,629 156,839
redemptionLong-term debt	212,563 4,375,030	136,200 2,443,989	1,967,500 (D)	348,763 8,786,519
Total Capitalization	10,048,727	5,063,977	1,571,001	16,683,750
Minority interest in consolidated subsidiaries Obligations under capital leases Other noncurrent liabilities Long-term debt due within one year Other current liabilities Accumulated deferred federal income tax Regulatory liabilities and deferred credits	33,805 332,521 320,000 1,759,416 2,327,477 632,140	100,000 53,126 - 346,123 1,850,455 1,721,263 1,606,064	50,000 (B)	100,000 86,931 332,521 666,123 3,659,871 4,048,740 2,238,204
Total Capitalization and Liabilities	\$15,454,131 =======	\$10,741,008 =======	\$1,621,001 ======	\$27,816,140 =======

The accompanying notes to the pro forma are an integral part of this statement.

NEW CON EDISON UNAUDITED PRO FORMA COMBINED CONDENSED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2000 (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

Con Edison	Northeast	Pro Forma	Pro Forma
Historical	Pro Forma (A)	Adjustments	Combined

Operating Revenues

Electric.....\$ 6,111,280 \$ 4,655,213

GasSteamNonutility	1,088,334 369,552 463,855	382,721 - 63,683		1,471,055 369,552 527,538
Total operating revenues	8,033,021	5,101,617		13,134,638
Operating Expenses				
Fuel and purchased power Other operations Maintenance Depreciation and amortization	3,235,056 1,222,541 425,660 536,128	2,392,911 933,217 300,313 882,965	\$ 49,159 (B) (8,634)(B)	5,627,967 2,155,758 725,973 1,459,618
Taxes, other than federal income tax	1,170,496	272,908	. , , , ,	1,443,404
Federal income tax	399,406	226,304	(58,533)(E)	567,177
Total operating expenses	6,989,287	5,008,618	(18,008)	11,979,897
Operating Income	1,043,734	92,999	18,008	1,154,741
Other Income (Deductions)				
Investment income	17,646	-		17,646
construction	2,261	-		2,261
Other income less miscellaneous deductions Federal income tax	(12,961) 25,911	208,060 90,909		195,099 116,820
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Total other income	32,857	298,969	-	331,826
Income before interest charges	1,076,591	391,968	18,008	1,486,567
Interest charges	354,091	293,345	167,238 (F)	814,674
construction	(3,195)	-		(3,195)
Net interest charges	350,896	293,345	167,238	811,479
Preferred stock dividend requirements	13,593	21,573		35,166
Net income for common stock	\$ 712,102 =======	\$ 77,050 ======	(\$149,230) =======	\$ 639,922
Common shares outstanding - average (000)	218,920	135,668	(87,702)(G)	266,886
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The accompanying notes to the pro forma are an integral part of this statement.

NOTES TO UNAUDITED PRO FORMA COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

Note A. Unaudited Pro Forma Combined Condensed Income Statement

Basic earnings per share.....

Reflects the combination of the historical information of Northeast and Yankee to give effect to the acquisition of Yankee by Northeast as if it occurred by April 1, 1999 instead of March 1, 2000.

Note B. Goodwill

Reflects adjustment to record the goodwill resulting from the merger:

Purchase of 148.5 million Northeast common shares Estimated direct costs incurred in consummating the merger \$ 3,935,000

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Elimination of Northeast Shareholders' equity on March 31, 2000 Addition of Northeast goodwill to purchase price	(2,363,999) 345,372
Total goodwill created as a result of the merger	\$ 1,966,373 =======
Amortization of goodwill over 3-month period (assuming straight-line method over 40 years) Elimination of Northeast purchased goodwill Reversal of amortization of Northeast purchased goodwill over 3-month period	\$ 12,290 (345,372) (2,159)
Amortization of goodwill over 1-year period (assuming straight-line method over 40 years) Elimination of Northeast purchased goodwill Reversal of amortization of Northeast purchased	\$ 49,159 (345,372)
goodwill over 1-year period	(8,634)

Note C. Common Shareholders' Equity

Reflects payment of stock consideration in the merger as discussed in Note D net of the elimination of Northeast shareholders' equity.

Elimination of Northeast shareholders' equity Issuance of stock to purchase Northeast common shares	(\$2,363,999) 1,967,500
	(\$396,499)

Note D. Merger Consideration

The unaudited pro forma combined condensed financial statements assume that 50 percent of the outstanding Northeast common shares were exchanged for cash consideration of \$26.50 and 50 percent of the outstanding Northeast common shares were exchanged for .646 shares of New Con Edison common stock. We have assumed that the cash payment to Northeast shareholders will be financed through the issuance of long-term debt. The merger consideration was determined assuming that the merger would be consummated on December 31, 2000, the divestiture condition relating to the Millstone nuclear facilities would be satisfied, the average trading price of Con Edison common shares over the specified period would be \$41.00 and the value of the fraction of a share of New Con Edison common stock delivered to Northeast shareholders would remain at \$26.50 at the time of delivery. A closing at December 31, 2000, has been assumed because the date represents the approximate midpoint as to when Con Edison and Northeast expect to complete the regulatory approval process for the merger. The satisfaction of the divestiture condition has been assumed because although there can be no assurance, Con Edison and Northeast believe it is more likely than not that the condition will be satisfied. See "Risk Factors - Uncertainties Relating to Northeast Nuclear Facilities Divestiture." A Con Edison share price of \$41.00 has been assumed because it represents the midpoint of the price collar established for Con Edison's share price.

Cash payment to Northeast shareholders	\$1,967,500
Stock payment to Northeast shareholders	1,967,500
Purchase of 148.5 million Northeast common shares	\$3,935,000

If the merger was to close on or before August 5, 2000, the divestiture condition were not to be satisfied, and the average trading price of Con Edison common shares was \$41.00, the cash payment would be \$25.00 per share for 50% of the Northeast common shares and the exchange ratio would be .610 shares of New Con Edison common stock per Northeast common share for the other 50% of the Northeast common shares. In this event, the pro forma earnings per share for the twelve months ended March 31, 2000 would be \$2.47.

Note E. Income Taxes

Reflects tax benefit, based on an assumed tax rate of 35%, from the payments of twelve months of interest charges described in Note $\sf F$.

(\$ 58,533) =======

Note F. Interest Charges

Reflects \$1.9675 billion of long-term debt bearing interest over twelve months at an effective interest rate of 8.5% inclusive of costs of issuance, the

proceeds of which may be used to fund the cash consideration to be paid to Northeast shareholders. \$ 167,238

A 1/8 of 1% variation in the interest rate would result in a \$2.5

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Note G. Outstanding Shares

million change in interest expense.

Reflects the issuance of 47,966,000 New Con Edison shares at an issuance cost of \$41.00 as described in Note D net of the elimination of outstanding Northeast common shares.

Elimination of outstanding Northeast common shares (135,668)Purchase of 50% of 148,500,000 Northeast common shares at an exchange rate of .646 shares of New Con Edison common stock per Northeast common share 47,966 (87,702)