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* VOLK STEPHEN R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ED]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) CITIGROUP						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2006											r (give title		er (specify	
388 GREENWICH STREET (Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
NEW YORK NY 10013 (City) (State) (Zip)																	form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally O	wne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			3. 4. Secur Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						4 and 5) Se		ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(.	A) or D)	Price	rion Tr		ction(s) and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05/15/2						2006		A		35.604(1)		Α	\$42.13		20,156.364		D			
Common Stock 05/15/2							2006		A		1,500 ⁽²⁾		Α	(2)		21,656.364		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ise (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date,		4. Transact Code (In 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instrance and E	rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Expiratic (Month/L	on Dai		or		ount nber	8. Pricc Deriva Securi (Instr. !	tive ty 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

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 (the "Plan"). Each Stock Unit represents one share of the Company's Common Stock.
- $2.\ Deferred\ Stock\ Units\ granted\ pursuant\ to\ the\ Plan.$

Remarks:

Saddie L. Smith; Attorney-in-

05/17/2006

<u>Fact</u> ** 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).
- ** 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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