CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC

Form 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCMAHON JOHN D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ED]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify			
CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC.			01/29/2009	below) below) Executive Vice President			
C/O SECRETARY, 4 IRVING				Executive vice i resident			
PLACE: RO	OM 1618-S	}					

(Street)

(State)

(Zin)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

NEW YORK, NY 10003

(City)

(City)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/29/2009		M	4,453	A	<u>(1)</u>	39,477.05	D		
Common Stock	01/29/2009		D(2)	4,453	D	\$ 41.18	35,024.05	D		
Common Stock							549.34	I	By THRIFT PLAN	
Common Stock							1,986.78	I	Tax Reduction Act Stock	

Ownership Plan (TRASOP)

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

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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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of tiorDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A or N
Performance Restricted Stock Units (Phantom Stock)	(3)	01/29/2009		A	38,000		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	3
Performance Restricted Stock Units (Phantom Stock)	(3)	01/29/2009		M		4,453	01/29/2009	01/29/2009	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MCMAHON JOHN D CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. C/O SECRETARY 4 IRVING PLACE; ROOM 1618-S NEW YORK, NY 10003

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Not Applicable.
- (2) Performance Restricted Stock Units ("PRSUs") cash-out pursuant to the terms of the Consolidated Edison, Inc. ("Company") Long Term Incentive Plan (the "LTIP").
- (3) Each PRSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Company common stock.
- (4) PRSU's, granted under the LTIP, will vest in 2012 when they are determined and awarded by the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors.
- (5) The number of shares (or cash equivalents) will be adjusted based on certain performance criteria, including criteria other than the market price, as specified under the LTIP.
- (6) The number of shares (or cash equivalents) were adjusted based on certain performance criteria, including criteria other than the market price, as specified under the LTIP.

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