

MCGRATH EUGENE R  
Form 4  
May 20, 2009

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MCGRATH EUGENE R

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)

CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC.  
C/O SECRETARY, 4 IRVING  
PLACE; ROOM 1618-S

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/19/2009

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10003

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	05/19/2009		A	Amount (1) 1,500	(A) or (D) A 11	221,345.76 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/19/2009		S	25,000	\$ 35.47 (3)	196,345.76	D
Common Stock					9,864.84	I	Tax Reduction Act Stock Ownership (TRASOP)

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Common Stock 7,530 I By Spouse

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

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## Signatures

Peter J. Barrett;  
Attorney-in-Fact 05/20/2009

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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) Deferred Stock Units (DSU) granted pursuant to the Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Each DSU represents one share of the Company's common stock.
- (2) Includes 118.03 DSUs acquired on March 15, 2009 pursuant to the Plan's dividend reinvestment provision.

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- (3) Represents the average sale price of the shares of Company common stock sold by Mr. McGrath. The share price range was \$35.38 to \$35.54.

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