Ryan JoAnn F Form 4 February 02, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ryan JoAnn F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC

(Check all applicable)

[ED]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner _ Other (specify

CONSOLIDATED EDISON.

INC., 4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM

01/29/2009

(Month/Day/Year)

below) SVP, Business Shared Services

1618-S

(State)

(First)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

1,491.94

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10009

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	ally 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	1,202	A	<u>(1)</u>	5,598.65	D	
Common Stock	01/29/2009		D(2)	601	D	\$ 41.18	4,997.65	D	
									Tax

Reduction Act Stock Ownership

Plan

I

Common Stock

(TRASOP)

Commmon Stock 335.48 I By THRIFT Plan

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Performance Restricted Stock Units (Phantom Stock)	(3)	01/29/2009		A	11,000		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	
Performance Restricted Stock Units (Phantom Stock)	(3)	01/29/2009		M		1,202	01/29/2009	01/29/2009	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC.

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ryan JoAnn F

4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S NEW YORK, NY 10009

Signatures

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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SVP, Business Shared Services

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) 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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