

CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MCMAHON JOHN D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10003

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC
[ED]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/09/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President

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

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 (A) 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|-----------|---|----------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | | |
| Common Stock | 08/09/2010 | | M | | 50,000 | A | \$ 42.51 | 85,026.36 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/09/2010 | | S | | 50,000 | D | \$ 48.04 | 35,026.36 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 597.08 | I | By THRIFT PLAN |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 2,186.47 | I | Tax Reduction |

Act Stock
Ownership
Plan
(TRASOP)

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Performance Restricted Stock Units (Phantom Stock) | \$ 42.51 | 08/09/2010 | | M | 50,000 | 04/18/2005 04/18/2012 | Common Stock | 50,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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 08/10/2010

__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).

Represents the weighted average sale price of the shares of Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") common stock sold by Mr. McMahon. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$48.00 to \$48.12, inclusive. The reporting person will

(1) provide the Company, any security holder of the Company, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the numbers of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote (1) to this Form 4.

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