Tai Luther Form 4 August 03, 2012

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC

Symbol

1(b).

Tai Luther

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

See Instruction

|                                      |   | [ED]  | [ED]                       |  |       |  | (Check all applicable)   |  |                      |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|--|-------|--|--|--|----------------------|--|--|
| (Last)  CONSOLII INC., 4 IRV 1618-S  | (Month/E<br>07/31/2                     | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2012 |                            |  |       | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP Enterprise Shared Services |  |  |                      |  |  |
| NEW YOR                              | (Street) K, NY 10009                    |   | ndment, Da<br>nth/Day/Year | U                                      | I     |  | 6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Moreon  |  | rson                 |  |  |
| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tabl  | e I - Non-L                | Derivative                             | Secur | rities Acq   | cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  |  |                      |  |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   | Code (Instr. 8)            | 4. Securi<br>on(A) or Di<br>(Instr. 3, | spose | d of (D)   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) |                      |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/31/2012                              | 08/02/2012  | P                          | 36.78<br>(1)                           | A     | \$<br>62.93  | 32,403.06  | D  |                      |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |                            |  |       |  | 1,090.03   | I  | By<br>THRIFT<br>PLAN |  |  |
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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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.                | 5.         | 6. Date Exer    | cisable and | 7. Titl | le and      | 8. Price of | 9. Nu  |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|---------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | TransactionNumber |            | Expiration Date |             | Amou    | int of      | Derivative  | Deriv  |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code              | of         | (Month/Day/     | /Year)      | Under   | rlying      | Security    | Secui  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8)        | Derivative | e               |             | Secur   | ities       | (Instr. 5)  | Bene   |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |                   | Securities |                 |             | (Instr. | 3 and 4)    |             | Owne   |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |                   | Acquired   |                 |             |         |             |             | Follo  |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   | (A) or     |                 |             |         |             |             | Repo   |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   | Disposed   |                 |             |         |             |             | Trans  |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   | of (D)     |                 |             |         |             |             | (Instr |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   | (Instr. 3, |                 |             |         |             |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   | 4, and 5)  |                 |             |         |             |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   |            |                 |             |         | Amount      |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   |            |                 |             |         | Amount      |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   |            | Date            | Expiration  | T:41-   | or<br>Namel |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |                   |            | Exercisable     | Date        | Title   | Number      |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | C 1 W             | (A) (D)    |                 |             |         | of          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V            | (A) (D)    |                 |             |         | Shares      |             |        |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Tai Luther

CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. 4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S NEW YORK, NY 10009

**SVP Enterprise Shared Services** 

## **Signatures**

Carole Sobin; Attorney-in-Fact

08/03/2012

\*\*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).
- $(1) \quad \text{Purchase of shares of common stock of Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") under the Company's Stock Purchase Plan.}$

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