

Rana Louis L
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Rana Louis L

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)
4 IRVING PLACE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/19/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President (CECONY)

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
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(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 (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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/19/2006 | | M | 701.25 A 1.278.47 | 1,278.47 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,040.5564 | I | 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|-----------------|---|
| | | | | | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | |
| Performance Based Restricted Stock Units | (2) | 01/19/2006 | | A | | 6,300 | | (3) | (3) | Common Stock |
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| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 46.88 | 01/19/2006 | | A | | 50,000 | | 01/19/2009 | 01/19/2016 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Rana Louis L 4 IRVING PLACE NEW YORK, NY 10003 | | | President (CECONY) | |

Signatures

Peter J. Barrett;
Attorney-in-Fact

01/23/2006

 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) Not Applicable.

(2) PBRS (phantom stock) are converted into common stock on a 1 for 1 basis.

(3) Performance Based Restricted Stock Units ("PBRS") granted under the Consolidated Edison, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan -- the restricted stock units will vest in 2009 when they are determined and awarded by the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Consolidated Edison, Inc.

(4) The number of shares (or cash equivalents) will change based on certain performance criteria, including criteria other than the market price, specified under the Consolidated Edison, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan.

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- (5) The number of shares (or cash equivalents) changed based on certain performance criteria, including criteria other than the market price, specified under the Consolidated Edison, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan.

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