FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHOENBLUM HYMAN (Last) (First) (Middle) CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NY, INC. 4 IRVING PLACE; ROOM 1618-S						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ED] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/02/2003 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP Corporate Planning 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				Owner r (specify v)
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10003														X	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/						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					d 5) Securi Benefi		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(msu. 4)
Common Stock 10/02/20						03		P		1.3946(1)	A	\$40.	0846		1.2306	D		
Common Stock														4	4.634	I	THRIFT	
Common Stock													85.7		5.7542	I	TRASOP	
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)	if any	emed ion Date, /Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)	(Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expira (Month	tion Day/\		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount of Numbe of Shares		Deri Sec (Ins:	rice of vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactioni (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired under Con Edison's DISCOP stock purchase plan based on a plan statement as of October 2, 2003.

Remarks:

James J. Dixon; Attorney-in-

10/06/2003

Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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