## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  O'Brien James P  (Last) (First) (Middle)  CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. C/O SECRETARY				3. D	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC [ ED ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/30/2009								(Che	C. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP & Treasurer					
4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S  (Street)  NEW YORK NY 10003  (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le)  X 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/			tion	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. 4. Securities		es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			Instr. 4)
Common Stock 10/30/20				2009	009 11/04/2009			P		2.56(1)	A	\$41.	.22	1,4	57.9	Ι	D		
Common Stock															117.57		]	I (	Tax Reduction Act Stock Ownership Plan (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)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transa	ansaction of Der Sec Acc (A) Dis of (		vative prities prities priced r osed )	6. Date Expirat	Date Exercisable and chiration Date lonth/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. De Se (In	erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly control (i	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Purchase of shares of common stock of Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") under the Company's Stock Purchase Plan.

## Remarks:

Peter J. Barrett; Attorney-in-**Fact** 

11/06/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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