SEC Fo	orm 4
--------	-------

 $\square$ 

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

) 3	Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. <i>See</i> Instruction 1(b).
-----	---

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 OMB APPROVAL
OMB Number: 3235-0287
Estimated average burden
hours per response: 0.5

1. Nume and Address of Reporting reison			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC</u> [ ED ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
SECRETARY	ONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. C/O		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/02/2003	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) General Counsel					
4 IRVING PLA (Street) NEW YORK	NY	10003	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) 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/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common Stock	10/02/2003		Р		0.7137(1)	Α	\$40.0846	90.1081 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock								12.3602	Ι	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year) 6. Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 6. Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 6. Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 6. Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

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

2. Total includes 1.151 shares acquired during the period June through September 2003 under Con Edison's dividend reinvestment plan.

Remarks:



\*\* 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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.