

CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC

Form 4

September 24, 2008

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BURKE KEVIN**

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)

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

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

Chairman, President &amp; CEO

**CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC., 4**  
**IRVING PLACE; ROOM 1618-S**

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10003

(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	09/22/2008		M		20,000 (1)	A \$ 32.5	76,953.26	D	
Common Stock	09/22/2008		M		50,000 (1)	A \$ 37.75	126,953.26	D	
Common Stock	09/22/2008		S		65,500 (1)	D \$ 43.23 (2)	61,453.26	D	
Common Stock							6,129.67	I	Tax Reduction Act Stock

Ownership  
Plan  
(TRASOP)

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

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(9-02)**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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.5	09/22/2008		M		20,000		04/20/2003	04/20/2010	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.75	09/22/2008		M		50,000		04/19/2004	04/19/2011	Common Stock	50,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BURKE KEVIN CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC. 4 IRVING PLACE; ROOM 1618-S NEW YORK, NY 10003	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

## Signatures

Peter J. Barrett;  
Attorney-in-Fact

09/24/2008

\*\*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) The net effect of these transactions was that Mr. Burke acquired 4,500 shares of Consolidated Edison, Inc. ("Company") common stock.
- (2) Represents the average sale price of the shares of Company common stock sold by Mr. Burke. The share price range was \$43.05 to \$43.40.

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