

Tai Luther  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Tai Luther

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)  
08/12/2010

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP Enterprise Shared Services

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

(Street)

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	08/12/2010		M	12,000	A	\$ 42.51	29,914.56 D
Common Stock	08/12/2010		M	14,000	A	\$ 40.81	43,914.56 D
Common Stock	08/12/2010		M	14,000	A	\$ 43.06	57,914.56 D
Common Stock	08/12/2010		M	16,000	A	\$ 43.72	73,914.56 D
	08/12/2010		M	18,000	A		91,914.56 D

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Common Stock					\$					
					46.88					
Common Stock	08/12/2010		S	74,000	D	\$	48.02	17,914.56	D	
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Common Stock								776.48	I	By THRIFT PLAN

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.51	08/12/2010		M	12,000	04/18/2005	04/18/2012	Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.81	08/12/2010		M	14,000	01/23/2006	01/23/2013	Common Stock	14,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.06	08/12/2010		M	14,000	01/15/2007	01/15/2014	Common Stock	14,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.72	08/12/2010		M	16,000	01/20/2008	01/20/2015	Common Stock	16,000

Buy)

Employee

Stock

Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 46.88	08/12/2010		M	18,000	01/19/2009	01/19/2016	Common Stock	18,000
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### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Tai Luther CONSOLIDATED EDISON, INC. 4 IRVING PLACE, ROOM 1618-S NEW YORK, NY 10003			SVP Enterprise Shared Services	

### Signatures

Carole Sobin; Attorney-in-Fact	08/13/2010
**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).
- Represents the weighted average sale price of the shares of Consolidated Edison, Inc. (the "Company") common stock sold by Mr. Tai.
- (1) The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$48.00 to \$48.08, inclusive. The reporting person will provide the Company, any security holder of the Company, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the numbers of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote (1) to this Form 4.

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