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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person SMOLYANSKY EDWARD | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIFEWAY FOODS INC [LWAY] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|---|-------|---|---|------|---------------|-------|--|-------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|---|
| l | (Fii EWAY FO OAKTON | OODS, INC. | ⁄liddle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/03/2014 | | | | | | | | ^ b | elow) | | below s, COO, Se | | |
| (Street) MORTO GROVE | | | 0053 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 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) | | ar) i | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, | | 3. | | | rities A | quired | 5. Ar Secu Bene Own | mount of urities eficially | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amoun | (A) or (D) | Price | Repo Tran | orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4) | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | (mstr. 4) |
| Common stock, no par value | | | | 06/03/2014 | | 4 | | | S | | 4,000 | D | \$13 29 | | 90,738 | D | |
| 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) | | | vative urities uired or oosed 0) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securi Under Deriva Securi (Instr. | | | | nt of ities lying itive | Deriv Secu (Instr | r. 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 | | oiration e | Title | Amoun or Numbe of Shares | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Edward Smolyansky

** Signature of Reporting Person

06/04/2014

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

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