## SEC Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

## UNED STATES

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Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. 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 <br> (Check all applicable) <br> CFO, Treasurer |  |  |  |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC. 6431 W. OAKTON ST. |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)02/15/2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)   <br> MORTON IL 60053 <br> GROVE   <br> (City) (State) (Zip) |  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |  |  |  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <br> X Form filed by One Reporting Person <br> 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/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. <br> Transaction Code (Instr. 8) |  | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |  |  | 5. Amount of <br> Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. <br> Ownership <br> Form: <br> Direct (D) <br> or Indirect <br> (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|  |  |  | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |  |  |  |
| Common stock, no par value | 02/15/2011 |  | S |  | 500 | D | \$9.35 | 330,546 | D |  |
| Common stock, no par value | 02/15/2011 |  | S |  | 500 | D | \$9.41 | 330,046 | D |  |
| Common stock, no par value | 02/15/2011 |  | S |  | 500 | D | \$9.42 | 329,546 | D |  |
| Common stock, no par value | 02/16/2011 |  | S |  | 1,500 | D | \$9.37 | 328,046 | D |  |
| Common stock, no par value | 02/16/2011 |  | S |  | 1,000 | D | \$9.38 | 327,046 | D |  |
| Common stock, no par value | 02/16/2011 |  | S |  | 1,000 | D | \$9.39 | 326,046 | 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. <br> Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. <br> Transa <br> Code <br> 8) |  | 5. <br> Num <br> of <br> Deri <br> Sec <br> Acq <br> (A) <br> Disp <br> of (D) <br> (Ins <br> and | er <br> ative <br> rities red <br> sed <br> 3, 4 | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/ | isable and te ear) | 7. Tit <br> Amo Secu Unde Deriv Secu (Instr | and <br> nt of <br> ities <br> lying <br> tive <br> ity <br> 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Numbe of derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (s) (Instr. |
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|  |  |  |  | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date <br> Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |  |  |

Explanation of Responses:
/s/ Edward Smolyansky 02/16/2011
** Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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. $78 \mathrm{ff}(\mathrm{a})$.
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