#### LIFEWAY FOODS INC

Form 4 June 05, 2008

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SMOLYANSKY EDWARD			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			LIFEWAY FOODS INC [LWAY]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC., 6431			06/03/2008	X Officer (give title Other (specify		
W OAKTON STREET				below) below)		
WOMETON STREET				CFO, Treasurer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
MORTON GROVE, IL 60053				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		Beneficially (D) or Be Owned Indirect (I) Ov Following (Instr. 4) (In Reported		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common stock, no par value	05/23/2008		G	1,700	A	\$ 0	402,755	D	
Common stock, no par value	06/03/2008		S	700	D	\$ 12.78	402,055	D	
Common stock, no par value	06/03/2008		S	300	D	\$ 12.79	401,755	D	
Common stock, no	06/03/2008		S	1,000	D	\$ 12.8	400,755	D	

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par value							
Common stock, no par value	06/04/2008	S	400	D	\$ 12.62	400,355	D
Common stock, no par value	06/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 12.53	400,255	D
Common stock, no par value	06/04/2008	S	200	D	\$ 12.54	400,055	D
Common stock, no par value	06/04/2008	S	300	D	\$ 12.46	399,755	D

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1. Title of Derivating Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	<b>.</b>	Date	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans
				of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date	Expiration		Amount		(Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
<b>FB</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SMOLYANSKY EDWARD C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC. 6431 W OAKTON STREET MORTON GROVE, IL 60053			CFO, Treasurer					

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### **Signatures**

By: /s/ Edward Smolyansky

06/05/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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