LIFEWAY FOODS INC

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1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SMOLYANSKY LUDMILA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

LIFEWAY FOODS INC [LWAY]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

_X__ 10% Owner

C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC., 6431

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 07/08/2013

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title below)

_ Other (specify

W. OAKTON ST

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Form filed by More than One Reporting

MORTON GROVE, IL 60053

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common stock, no par value	07/08/2013		Code V S	Amount 2,000	(D)		7,397,584	I	See Footnote (1)
Common stock, no par value	07/10/2013		S	1,800	D	\$ 17.05	7,395,784	I	See Footnote (1)
Common stock, no par value	07/10/2013		S	200	D	\$ 17.13	7,395,584	I	See Footnote (1)
Common stock, no	07/10/2013		S	709	D	\$ 17.175	7,394,875	I	See Footnote

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par value								<u>(1)</u>
Common stock, no par value	07/10/2013	S	291	D	\$ 17.22	7,394,584	I	See Footnote
Common stock, no par value	07/10/2013	S	1,322	D	\$ 17.158	7,393,262	I	See Footnote (1)

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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. mNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SMOLYANSKY LUDMILA C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC. 6431 W. OAKTON ST MORTON GROVE, IL 60053	X	X					
<u> </u>							

Signatures

/s/ Ludmila
Smolyansky 07/10/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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 shares are held by the Ludmila Smolyansky Trust 2/1/05, of which Ludmila Smolyansky is the trustee.

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