UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 29, 2011

LIFEWAY FOODS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

ILLINOIS 0-17363 36-3442829
(State or other jurisdiction of Identification No.) incorporation)

6431 West Oakton St. Morton Grove, IL

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (847) 967-1010

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On November 29, 2011, Lifeway Foods, Inc., an Illinois corporation (the "Company") issued a press release. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated November 29, 2011.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LIFEWAY FOODS, INC.

Dated: December 2, 2011 By: /s/ Edward Smolyansky

Edward Smolyansky

Chief Financial Officer and

Accounting Officer and Treasurer

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