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1(b).

(City)

par value

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Feldman Amy M.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Lifeway Foods, Inc. [LWAY]

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner

C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC., 6431

(Middle)

(Zip)

04/29/2019

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

Other (specify

OAKTON STREET

(Street)

(State)

Sr. Exec VP of Sales 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

MORTON GROVE, IL 60053

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	equired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
C			Code v	Amount	(D)	FIICE			
Common Stock, no	04/29/2019		F	1,691 (1)	D	\$ 2.09	16,564 <u>(2)</u>	D	

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title a	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date		Amount	of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlyi	ing	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)		Own
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Number			
								of			
				Code V	(A) (D)			Sł	hares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Feldman Amy M. C/O LIFEWAY FOODS, INC. 6431 OAKTON STREET MORTON GROVE, IL 60053

Sr. Exec VP of Sales

Signatures

/s/ Amy M. 04/29/2019 Feldman

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) No stock was sold. In connection with the vesting of 5,000 shares of stock, the Company withheld a total of 1,691 shares to satisfy a payroll tax liability incident to such vesting.
- Includes time-based restricted stock awards pursuant to the Company's 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Of such time-based restricted (2) stock, 5,000 will vest on October 31, 2019; 2,238 will vest on March 31, 2020; and 2,238 will vest on March 31, 2021, contingent on the Reporting Person's continued service on each applicable vesting date.

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