Leposky Mark F Form 4 April 26, 2012

FORM 4

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

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section See Instruction

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Leposky Mark F

(First)

(Street)

2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CALLAWAY GOLF CO [ELY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/25/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Sr. VP of Global Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or

Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amou Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative Expiration Date Underlying Secur Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3)	I	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)									
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nur Sha
Stock Apprecia Rights (SARs)	ation	\$ 6.93	04/25/2012		A		109,789		<u>(1)</u>	04/25/2017	Common Stock	10
Phanton Stock U		(2)	04/25/2012		A		17,437		04/25/2015	04/25/2012	Common Stock	17

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Leposky Mark F 2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD CARLSBAD, CA 92008

Sr. VP of Global Operations

Signatures

/s/ Brian P. Lynch Attorney-in-Fact for Mark F. Leposky under a Limited Power of Attorney dated April 20, 2012.

04/26/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) These Stock Appreciation Rights are scheduled to vest as follows: 1/3 of the SARs vest on April 25, 2013; 1/3 of the SARs vest on April 25, 2014; and 1/3 of the SARs vest on April 25, 2015.
- (2) Upon vesting, the recipient is entitled to a cash payment for each Phantom Stock Unit equal to the value on the vesting date of one share of the Company's Common Stock.

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