

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LORD ALBERT L</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>300 CONTINENTAL DRIVE</u> (Street) <u>NEWARK DE 19713</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SLM CORP [SLM]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Vice Chairman & CEO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/01/2013</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/01/2013		S		20,000 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$20.57	982,533.481	D	
Common Stock								30,272.2702 ⁽²⁾	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock								2,100	I	By Immediate Family
Common Stock								145,210.5966 ⁽³⁾	I	By Supplemental Thrift & Savings Plan

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan entered into by the reporting person on February 14, 2013, and effective on February 19, 2013.
- Represents share equivalents of SLM common stock under the SLM 401(k) Plan based on the individual's actual account balance as of April 30, 2013. Share equivalents are calculated by dividing the current account balance by the closing market price of SLM common stock on the specified date.
- Represents share equivalents of SLM common stock under the SLM Supplemental Thrift & Savings Plan based on the individual's actual account balance as of April 30, 2013. Share equivalents are calculated by dividing the current account balance by the closing market price of SLM common stock on the specified date.

/s/ La Fleur C. Browne (POA) 05/01/2013
for Albert L. Lord

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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