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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u>MOEHN KEVIN</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 12061 BLUEMONT WAY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SLM CORP [SLM] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/23/2004	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive Vice President
(Street) RESTON (City)	VA (State)	20190 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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)	Code (A. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) e (Instr.		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/23/2004		М		125,000	A	\$28.6666	211,369	D	
Common Stock	11/23/2004		F		88,359	D	\$50.5	123,010	D	
Common Stock	11/23/2004		S		5,405	D	\$50.5	117,605	D	
Common Stock								100	I	By Immediate Family

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 (8)		Dispose	ive	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		es g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Beneficially Owned Following		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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$28.6666	11/23/2004		М			125,000	(1)	01/24/2012	Common Stock	125,000	\$0	100,985	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$50.92	11/23/2004		A		70,957		11/23/2005	01/24/2012	Common Stock	70,957	\$0	70,957	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of \$34.40 for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (January 24, 2010), but no sooner than one year from the grant date

Remarks:

/s/ Moehn, Kevin F.

** Signature of Reporting Person

11/23/2004

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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