FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFI	CIAL OWNER

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GOODE EARL A					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SLM CORP [SLM]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Loot) (Firot) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2009									Office	er (give title w)	Other below	(specify)			
(Street) RESTON (City)			20190 Zip)		_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	·′				
		Tabl	e I -	Non-Deriv	/ative	Secu	uritie	s A	cquir	ed, D	isposed o	f, or E	Benefic	ially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye				2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		te,	3. 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 8)					ount of ities ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			01/28/20	009)9			P		20,000(1)	Α	\$10.69	952 ⁽²⁾	12	27,400	D		
	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)	Execu	eemed ution Date, th/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	rities ired osed	Expir (Mon	ration I hth/Day	(Year)	7. Title Amour Securit Underl Derivat Securit and 4)	nt of ties ying	Deriv Secu (Inst		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Upon request by the Commission staff or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price will be provided.
- $2. \ Represents the weighted average price per share of stock purchased by Mr. Goode between \$10.67 \ and \$10.71.$

Remarks:

By: Mary F. Eure (POA) 01/28/2009

** 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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