

Free Writing Prospectus

SLM Corporation
Medium Term Notes, Series A
Due 9 Months or Longer from the Date of Issue

Lead Manager(s)	Citigroup Global Markets Inc. Barclays Capital Inc. Lehman Brothers Inc.
Co-Manager(s)	BNP Paribas Securities Corp. Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC Greenwich Capital Markets Inc. HSBC Securities (USA) Inc. UBS Securities LLC
Issuer	SLM Corporation
Note Type	Medium Term Notes, Series A US MTN Program
Ratings	A2/A
CUSIP	78442F DY 1
USD Amount	\$750,000,000
Interest Rate	5.45000%
Issue Price	99.84500%
Commissions	0.32500%
Net Proceeds (%)	99.52000%
Net Proceeds (\$)	\$746,400,000
Announcement Date	4/5/2006
Closing Date	4/12/2006
Maturity Date	4/25/2011
Call	N.A.
Call Dates	N.A.
Redemption Price	N.A.
Interest Payment Dates	Payments on the 25th of each April and October, subject to adjustment in accordance with Following Business Day Convention
1st Payment Date	25-Oct-06
Reset Dates	N.A.
Rate Determination Date	N.A.
Daycount Fraction	30/360
Business Day Convention	Following Business Day Convention with no adjustment to interest period end dates for accrual purposes
Business Days	New York
Minimum Denominations	\$1,000 minimum and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof
Calculation Agent	SLM Corporation

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SLM Corporation has filed a registration statement (including a prospectus) with the SEC for the offering to which this communication relates. Before you invest, you should read the prospectus in that registration statement and other documents the issuer has filed with the SEC for more

complete information about the issuer and this offering. You may get these documents for free by visiting EDGAR on the SEC Web site at www.sec.gov. Alternatively, the issuer, any underwriter or any dealer participating in the offering will arrange to send you the prospectus if you request it by calling the issuer toll free at 1-800-321-7179.
