## FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES IN	BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PORTER A ALEXANDER JR					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SLM CORP [ SLM ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 12061 BLUEMONT WAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/25/2005									Offic belov	er (give ti w)	tle	Oth bel	er (specify ow)					
,												6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)									
(Street)															X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
RESTON VA 20190										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)												Feis	OH					
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	enefic	ial	ly Owne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 at 5)					Forn ly (D) o		nership Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 08/			08/25/2	2005	.005				v	19,583	A	\$0		21,2	223	D					
Common Stock C			09/06/2	2005				G	V	19,953	D	\$0		1,2	70		D				
Common Stock															537,771 <sup>(2)</sup>		I		By Limited Partnership	- 1	
		Та	ble II								osed of, convertib				Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed ion Date, /Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.				e Exerc tion Da n/Day/\		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reported Transact (Instr. 4)	re Owners es Form: ally Direct (I or Indire g (I) (Instr		Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	۱	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1.\ Distribution\ from\ a\ limited\ partership\ of\ which\ the\ reporting\ person\ is\ a\ general\ partner.$
- 2. Updated to reflect shares distributed from a limited partnership.

## Remarks:

09/09/2005 By: Mary F. Eure (POA)

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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