FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar Puleo F		Reporting Person*						nd Tick SLM	er or Tra	ding \$	Symbol			k all app	,		rson(s) to Is		
(Last)	(Fir	,	⁄iiddle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/23/2021								Officer (give title below)		Other (s below)	specify			
(Street) NEWAR (City)			9713 Zip)		4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Form	r Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable I filed by One Reporting Person I filed by More than One Reporting In			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Date					Exe if an					s Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned Report	ies ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Transa	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111311. 4)
Common Stock 12/23/2				2021		A		915(1)	A	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	163,546 <sup>(2)</sup>			D				
Table II - Derivative Securities (e.g., puts, calls, war									uired, Disposed of, or Benefi s, options, convertible securit						Owne	d			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Dee Execution if any (Month/I			saction of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Set (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	or Numb of Share	er					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents a grant of shares of SLM Corporation's Common Stock (the "Shares") received in lieu of the reporting person's quarterly cash retainer. The per share value of the Shares was equal to the closing sales price per share as of the grant date.
- 2. Includes Dividend Equivalent Units issued in connection with Restricted Common Stock held by the reporting person.

## Remarks:

/s/ Jeffrey Lipschutz (POA) for Frank C. Puleo

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

12/27/2021

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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