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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
McGarry Steven

(Last) (First) (Middle)
300 CONTINENTAL DRIVE
(Street)

NEWARK, DE 19713

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SLM CORP [SLM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/10/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
EVP & Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/10/2017		F	6,866 (1) D \$ 12.43	350,021.3371	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2017		F	4,439 (2) D \$ 12.43	345,582.3371	D	
Common Stock					2,141.858 (3)	I	401(k) Savings Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McGarry Steven 300 CONTINENTAL DRIVE NEWARK, DE 19713			EVP & Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Nicolas Jafarieh (POA) for Steven J. McGarry 02/14/2017

Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) On February 10, 2015, Mr. McGarry was granted 50,793 restricted stock units ("RSUs") representing rights to receive shares of common stock of SLM Corporation (the "Company"), subject to continued employment, to vest in one-third increments on February 10, 2016, 2017 and 2018. On February 10, 2017, 16,931 shares vested in connection with these RSUs, of which 6,866 shares were withheld by the Company to satisfy Mr. McGarry's tax withholding obligations
- (2) On February 10, 2015, a portion of Mr. McGarry's 2014 Management Incentive Plan Award was granted in the form of RSUs that carry transfer restrictions that lapse in one-third increments on February 10, 2016, 2017 and 2018, regardless of continued employment. On February 10, 2017, the restrictions lapsed on 9,608 RSUs, and 4,439 shares of the Company common stock were withheld to satisfy Mr. McGarry's tax obligations in connection with the lapsing of such restrictions.
- (3) Represents the number of units held in a unitized stock fund in the Sallie Mae 401(k) Savings Plan as of January 23, 2017

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