Jafarieh Nicolas Form 4 January 30, 2019

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jafarieh Nicolas	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SLM Corp [SLM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
300 CONTINENTAL DRIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2019				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NEWARK, DE 19713		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/28/2019		A	20,718 (1)	A	\$ 0	68,398	D	
Common Stock	01/28/2019		A	12,532 (2)	A	\$ 0	80,930	D	
Common Stock	01/28/2019		F	420 (3)	D	\$ 10.86	80,510	D	

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)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jafarieh Nicolas

300 CONTINENTAL DRIVE SVP, General Counsel

NEWARK, DE 19713

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jeffrey Lipschutz (POA) for Nicolas
Jafarieh
01/30/2019

\*\*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).
- A long-term incentive award of restricted stock units ("RSUs") under the SLM Corporation 2012 Omnibus Incentive Plan, which is classified as "Common Stock," as permitted, since the RSUs will be settled solely by delivery of shares of SLM Corporation (the "Company") common stock. Subject to continuing employment, these RSUs vest in one-third increments on January 28, 2020, 2021 and 2022
- (2) A portion of the reporting person's 2018 Management Incentive Plan Award was granted in the form of RSUs that carry transfer restrictions that lapse in one-third increments on January 28, 2020, 2021 and 2022, regardless of continued employment.
- (3) Represents shares of the Company common stock required to be withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations upon the grant of RSUs.

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