

AUTOR ROBERT  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â AUTOR ROBERT		(Month/Day/Year)	SLM CORP [SLM]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/27/2005	
12061 BLUEMONT WAY		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
RESTON,Â VAÂ 20190		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Executive Vice President	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	90,607	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title    Amount or Number of			

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(1)</u>	05/20/2009	Common Stock	60,000	\$ 14.4375	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(2)</u>	05/26/2009	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 13.7291	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(3)</u>	10/16/2010	Common Stock	75,000	\$ 16.1875	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(4)</u>	01/15/2011	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 20.1666	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(5)</u>	05/10/2011	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 21.75	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(6)</u>	01/24/2012	Common Stock	180,000	\$ 28.6666	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(7)</u>	01/28/2013	Common Stock	75,000	\$ 35.2	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(8)</u>	01/29/2014	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 37.87	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â <u>(9)</u>	01/27/2015	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 50.75	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
AUTOR ROBERT 12061 BLUEMONT WAY RESTON, VA 20190	Â	Â	Â Executive Vice President	Â

## Signatures

By: Mary F. Eure  
(POA) 02/07/2005

    Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The options become exercisable in increments of one-third; one-third becomes exercisable one year from the date of the grant, one-third upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of \$19.05 and \$23.81, respectively, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (May 20, 2007) subject to terms regarding the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (2) The options become exercisable in increments of one-third; one-third becomes exercisable one year from the date of the grant, one-third upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of \$19.05 and \$23.81, respectively, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (May 26, 2007) subject to terms regarding the reporting

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person's continued service with the Company.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of
- (3) \$19.42, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the fifth anniversary of the grant (October 16, 2005), but no sooner than one year from the grant date.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of \$24.20
- (4) for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the fifth anniversary of the grant (January 15, 2006), but not sooner than one year from the grant date.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of
- (5) \$26.09, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the fifth anniversary of the grant (May 10, 2006), but no sooner than one year from the grant date.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of \$34.40
- (6) for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (January 24, 2010), but no sooner than one year from the grant date.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of
- (7) \$42.24, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (January 28, 2011), but no sooner than one year from the grant date.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of
- (8) \$45.44, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (January 29, 2012), but no sooner than one year from the grant date.

- These options become exercisable upon the Company's common stock having a closing price on the New York Stock Exchange of
- (9) \$60.90, for five trading days, they also become exercisable on the eighth anniversary of the grant (January 27, 2013), but no sooner than one year from the grant date.

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