

Thome Paul F
Form 4
January 29, 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. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Thome Paul F

(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)

01/26/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify
below) below)

EVP & Chief Admin Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/26/2019		F	(A) or (D) 3,087 (1) D \$ 11.02	180,296	D	
Common Stock	01/26/2019		F	(A) or (D) 1,044 (2) D \$ 11.02	179,252	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2019		F	(A) or (D) 2,681 (3) D \$ 11.02	176,571	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2019		F	(A) or (D) 1,064 (4) D \$ 11.02	175,507	D	
Common Stock					23,847.021 (5)	I	Supplemental 401(k) Savings Plan

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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. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				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
Thome Paul F 300 CONTINENTAL DRIVE NEWARK, DE 19713	EVP & Chief Admin Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey Lipschutz (POA) for Paul F.
Thome 01/29/2019

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) On January 26, 2018, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units ("RSUs") representing rights to receive shares of common stock of SLM Corporation (the "Company"), subject to vesting conditions, to vest in one-third increments on January 26, 2019, 2020 and 2021. On January 26, 2019, 11,452 shares vested in connection with these RSUs, of which 3,087 shares were withheld by the Company to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations.

(2) On January 26, 2018, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units ("RSUs") representing rights to receive shares of common stock of SLM Corporation (the "Company"), subject to transfer restrictions that lapse in one-third increments on January 26, 2019, 2020 and 2021. On January 26, 2019, the transfer restrictions lapsed in connection with 3,873 of these RSUs, of which 1,044 shares were withheld by the Company to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations.

(3)

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On January 27, 2017, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units ("RSUs") representing rights to receive shares of common stock of SLM Corporation (the "Company"), subject to vesting conditions, to vest in one-third increments on January 27, 2018, 2019 and 2020. On January 27, 2019, 9,945 shares vested in connection with these RSUs, of which 2,681 shares were withheld by the Company to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations.

- (4) On January 27, 2017, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units ("RSUs") representing rights to receive shares of common stock of SLM Corporation (the "Company"), subject to transfer restrictions that lapse in one-third increments on January 27, 2018, 2019 and 2020. On January 27, 2019, the transfer restrictions lapsed in connection with 3,945 of these RSUs, of which 1,064 shares were withheld by the Company to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations.
- (5) Represents the number of units held in a unitized stock fund in the Sallie Mae Supplemental 401(k) Savings Plan as of January 17, 2019.

Remarks:

EXHIBIT 24 - POWER OF ATTORNEY

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