

SLM CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 15, 2006

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

#### Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **May 10, 2006**

### SLM CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**File No. 333-130584**  
(Commission File Number)

**52 2013874**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**12061 Bluemont Way, Reston, Virginia 20190**  
(Address of principal executive offices) (zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(703) 810-3000**

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

SLM Corporation (the Company) entered into a Distribution Agreement, dated as of May 5, 2006, with certain agents in connection with the offering of its Medium Term Notes, Series A, pursuant to its registration statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-130584) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The Company is filing herewith the following exhibits in connection with that offering.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (a) Not applicable
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Not applicable
- (d) Exhibits

- 1.1
- 4.1

Amended and Restated Distribution Agreement dated as of May 5, 2006  
Officers Certificate, dated as of May 5, 2006, pursuant to Sections 2.02(a) and  
(c) of the Indenture.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SLM CORPORATION

By: /s/ C. E. Andrews  
Name: C. E. Andrews  
Title: Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 15, 2006

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- (d) Exhibits

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- 4.1 Officers Certificate, dated as of May 5, 2006, pursuant to Sections 2.02(a) and (c) of the Indenture.

