SLM CORP Form 424B3 July 12, 2006

Pricing Supplement No. 4 dated July 11, 2006 (to Prospectus dated May 5, 2006 and Prospectus Supplement dated May 5, 2006)

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# **SLM Corporation**

Medium Term Notes, Series A

Due 9 Months or Longer From the Date of Issue

Principal Amount: \$2,000,000,000 Floating Rate Notes: x Fixed Rate Notes: o

Original Issue Date: July 18, 2006 Closing Date: July 18, 2006 CUSIP Number: 78442F EC 8

Maturity Date: July 26, 2010 Option to Extend <sub>x</sub> No Specified Currency: U.S. Dollars

Maturity:

If Yes, Final Maturity o Yes

Date:

Redeemable at the option of the Company: x No Redemption Price: Not Applicable.

o Yes Redemption Dates: Not Applicable.

Repayment at the option of the Holder: X No Repayment Price: Not Applicable.

o Yes Repayment Dates: Not Applicable.

#### **Applicable to Floating Rate Notes Only:**

Floating Rate Index:

o CD Rate Index Maturity: Three Months.

o Commercial Paper Rate

o CMT Rate Spread: Plus 16 basis points (0.16%).

o Federal Funds Rate

x LIBOR Telerate Initial Interest Rate: TBD.

o LIBOR Reuters

o Prime Rate Interest Rate Reset Period: Quarterly.

o 91-Day Treasury Bill Rate

ABN AMRO Incorporated BNP PARIBAS Goldman, Sachs & Co. Merrill Lynch & Co. Banc of America Securities LLC
Citigroup
HSBC
Morgan Stanley

Barclays Capital Credit Suisse Lehman Brothers Wachovia Securities

July 11, 2006

### CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities Offered Floating Rate (LIBOR-Telerate) Medium Term Notes

Maximum Aggregate Offering Price \$2,000,000,000 Amount of Registration Fee \$214,000.00

Reset Date(s): Each January 25th, April 25th, July Interest Payment Date(s): Each January 25th, April 25th, July

25th and October 25th during the term of the Notes, subject to adjustment in accordance with the following business day convention, beginning October

25, 2006.

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25, 2006.

Interest Determination

Date(s):

2 London and New York Business Days Interest Period(s):

prior to the related Reset

Date (or Original Issue Date in the case

of the first Interest Period).

From and including the previous Interest Payment Date (or Original

Issue Date, in the case of the first Interest Period) to but excluding the current Interest Payment Date (or Maturity Date, in the case of the last

Interest Period).

Lock-in Period Start Date: Not Applicable. Accrual Method: Actual/360.

Maximum Interest Rate: Not Applicable. Minimum Interest Rate: Not Applicable.

Form: Book-entry.

Denominations: \$1,000 minimum and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof.

ABN AMRO Incorporated

Trustee: JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, formerly known as JPMorgan Chase Bank and The Chase Manhattan

Bank.

Agents: The following agents are acting as underwriters in connection with this issuance.

Agents Principal Amount of Notes Wachovia Capital Markets, LLC \$ 587,500,000.00 BNP Paribas Securities Corp. 250,500,000.00 161,000,000.00 Goldman, Sachs & Co. Banc of America Securities LLC 160,000,000.00 Barclays Capital Inc. 150,000,000.00 HSBC Securities (USA) Inc. 150,000,000.00 Lehman Brothers Inc. 145,000,000.00 Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated 105,000,000.00 Citigroup Global Markets Inc. 85,000,000.00 Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated 81,000,000.00 Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC 65,000,000.00

Total \$2,000,000,000.00

Issue Price: 100.0%.

Agents Commission: 0.035%.

Net Proceeds: \$1,999,300,000.

Concession: Up to 0.02%.

60,000,000.00

Reallowance Up to 0.01%.

CUSIP Number: 78442F EC 8.

ISIN Number: US78442FEC86.

Obligations of SLM Corporation and any subsidiary of SLM Corporation are not guaranteed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America. Neither SLM Corporation nor any subsidiary of SLM Corporation is a government-sponsored enterprise or an instrumentality of the United States of America.

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