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Pricing Supplement No. 1 dated December 3, 2002 (to Prospectus dated November 18, 2002 and Prospectus Supplement dated November 18, 2002) Filed under Rule 424(b)(3) File No. 333-90316

SLM CORPORATION

Medium Term Notes, Series A Due 9 Months or Longer From the Date of Issue

Principal Amount: \$500,000,000 Floating Rate Notes: o Fixed Rate Notes: ý

Original Issue Date: December 6, 2002 Closing Date: December 6, 2002 CUSIP Number: 78442F AG3

Maturity Date: January 15, 2013 Option to Extend Maturity: ý No Specified Currency: U.S. Dollars

o Yes

If Yes, Final Maturity Date:

Redeemable at the option of the Company:

of Yes

Redemption Price:

Not Applicable.

Repayment at the option of the Holder:

of Yes

Repayment Price:

Not Applicable.

Not Applicable.

Not Applicable.

Not Applicable.

Not Applicable.

Applicable to Fixed Rate Notes Only:

Interest Rate: 5.375% Interest Payment Dates: Each January 15th and July 15th during the term

of the Notes, subject to adjustment in accordance with the following business day convention,

beginning July 15, 2003.

Interest Accrual Method: 30/360 Interest Periods: From and including the Closing Date, or each

January 15th or July 15th, as the case may be, to and including the next succeeding July 14th or January 14th, as the case may be, with no adjustment to period end dates for accrual

purposes.

Credit Suisse First Boston

JPMorgan

Joint Book-Running Managers

Banc of America Securities LLC Barclays Capital Inc.

Deutsche Bank Securities

Goldman, Sachs & Co.

Merrill Lynch &Co.

Salomon Smith Barney

December 3, 2002

Form: Book-entry.

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

Trustee: JPMorgan Chase Bank, formerly known as The Chase Manhattan Bank.

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

Agents Principal Amount of Notes

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Credit Suisse First Boston Corporation	\$ 187,500,000
J.P. Morgan Securities Inc.	187,500,000
Banc of America Securities LLC	20,835,000
Barclays Capital Inc.	20,833,000
Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.	20,833,000
Goldman, Sachs & Co.	20,833,000
Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated	20,833,000
Salomon Smith Barney Inc.	20,833,000
Total	\$ 500,000,000

Issue Price: 99.929%.

Agents' Commission: 0.450%.

Net Proceeds: \$497,395,000.

Concession: 0.300%.

Reallowance: 0.125%.

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 (other than Student Loan Marketing Association) is a government-sponsored enterprise or an instrumentality of the United States of America.