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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 6, 2014 (April 30, 2014)

SLM CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-13251 (Commission File Number) 52-2013874 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

300 Continental Drive, Newark, Delaware19713(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (302) 283-8000(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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ITEM 2.01 COMPLETION OF ACQUISITION OR DISPOSITION OF ASSETS.

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

On April 30, 2014, the previously announced spin-off of Navient Corporation ("Navient") from SLM Corporation ("Sallie Mae" or the "Company") was completed. Navient became a separate, publicly-traded company that operates the education loan management, servicing and asset recovery business previously owned by Sallie Mae. The spin-off was completed through the distribution to Sallie Mae's stockholders of all the shares of common stock of Navient (the "Distribution"). In the Distribution, Sallie Mae distributed to its stockholders one share of Navient common stock for every share of Sallie Mae common stock outstanding as of the close of business on April 22, 2014, the record date for the Distribution.

The March 31, 2014 unaudited carved out pro forma condensed consolidated financial and statistical information of Sallie Mae is derived from the historical financial statements of the Company, as adjusted to give effect to the Distribution of the Navient common stock to Sallie Mae's stockholders, and is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1. Additionally, Exhibit 99.1 includes certain other audited carved out consolidated financial information of Sallie Mae and its wholly-owned subsidiary Sallie Mae Bank for the years ended December 31, 2013, 2012 and 2011, adjusted to give effect to the Distribution of the Navient common stock to Sallie Mae's stockholders and presented on a basis of accounting that reflects a change in reporting entity. Please see the disclosure set forth under Item 1.01 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sallie Mae with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission on May 2, 2014 regarding the material agreements entered into in connection with Distribution, which is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.01 and this Item 8.01.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

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| * | Filed herewith. |

SIGNATURES

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

Date: May 6, 2014

SLM CORPORATION By: /s/ Steven J. McGarry Steven J. McGarry Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

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