

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC  
Form 6-K  
November 19, 2014

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16  
of the Securities Exchange Act of  
1934

November 19, 2014

Commission File Number 001-14978

SMITH & NEPHEW plc  
(Registrant's name)

15 Adam Street  
London, England WC2N 6LA  
(Address of registrant's principal executive offices)

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NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF A DIRECTOR/PERSON DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY AND CONNECTED PERSONS

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC

19 November 2014

Smith & Nephew plc (the "Company") announces it has received notification that the following person discharging managerial responsibilities ("PDMR"), exercised options yesterday, over Ordinary Shares of US\$0.20 as follows:

Name of Director: Helen Maye  
Plan: i. 2010 Approved Global Share Plan granted 07/09/2011  
ii. 2010 Unapproved Global Share Plan granted 07/09/2011  
Number of Ordinary Shares purchased: i. 5,008  
ii. 40,901  
Option price per share: i. 599p per share  
ii. 599p per share  
No. of Ordinary Shares sold: i. 2,809  
ii. 31,435  
Total shareholding following transaction: 70,087 Ordinary Shares of US\$0.20 each

Notes:

- a) The shares were sold at a price of 1071p per share.
- b) The transaction took place in London, UK.
- c) The total percentage holding following the notification is less than 0.01% of the Company's issued share capital.

This announcement is made in accordance with the requirements of DTR 3.1.4 R(1)(a).

Vickie Grady  
Deputy Company Secretary  
Smith & Nephew plc  
Tel: 020 7401 7646

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Smith & Nephew Plc  
(Registrant)

Date: November 19, 2014

By: /s/ Susan Swabey  
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Susan Swabey  
Company Secretary