

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC  
Form 6-K  
October 26, 2016

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

October 26, 2016

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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SMITH & NEPHEW PLC

26 October 2016

NOTIFICATION AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE EU MARKET ABUSE REGULATION OF TRANSACTIONS BY PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND PERSONS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH THEM.

1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Virginia Bottomley

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status Non-Executive Director

b) Initial notification /Amendment Initial Notification

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Smith & Nephew plc

b) LEI 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61

4 Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument  
Identification code Smith & Nephew plc  
Ordinary Shares of USD  
0.20 each

ISIN: GB0009223206

b) Nature of the transaction Purchase of ordinary shares  
though the Company's  
Dividend Re-Investment  
Plan following the 2016  
interim dividend payment on  
25 October 2016.

Price(s) Volume(s)

c) Price(s) and volume(s) £12.1765 8

d) Aggregated information Single Transaction  
- Aggregated volume N/A  
- Price N/A

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e) Date of the transaction	2016 - 10 - 25
f) Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange
1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated	
a) Name	Joseph Papa
2 Reason for the notification	
a) Position/status	Non-Executive Director
b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial Notification
3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor	
a) Name	Smith & Nephew plc
b) LEI	213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61
4 Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted	
a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument Identification code	Smith & Nephew plc Ordinary Shares of USD 0.20 each  ISIN: GB0009223206
b) Nature of the transaction	Purchase of ordinary shares though the Company's Dividend Re-Investment Plan following the 2016 interim dividend payment on 25 October 2016.
c) Price(s) and volume(s)	Price(s)      Volume(s) £12.1765      4
Aggregated information	
d) - Aggregated volume - Price	Single Transaction N/A N/A
e) Date of the transaction	2016 - 10 - 25

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f) Place of the transaction London Stock Exchange

1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Rodrigo Bianchi

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status PDMR

b) Initial notification /Amendment Initial Notification

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Smith & Nephew plc

b) LEI 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61

4 Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument  
Identification code Smith & Nephew plc  
Ordinary Shares of USD  
0.20 each

ISIN: GB0009223206

b) Nature of the transaction Purchase of ordinary shares through the Company's Dividend Re-Investment Plan following the 2016 interim dividend payment on 25 October 2016.

Price(s) Volume(s)

c) Price(s) and volume(s) £12.1765 662

d) Aggregated information  
- Aggregated volume Single Transaction  
- Price N/A  
N/A

e) Date of the transaction 2016 - 10 - 25

f) Place of the transaction London Stock Exchange

Susan Swabey  
Company Secretary  
Smith & Nephew plc

Tel: 01923 477320

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: October 26, 2016

By: /s/ Susan Swabey

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Susan Swabey  
Company Secretary