

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC  
Form 6-K  
November 15, 2017

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 13, 2017

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

13 November 2017

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 Matthew Stober

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 Partial vesting of share  
awards granted in 2015.

Price(s) Volume(s)

c) Price(s) and volume(s) £13.35 3,038

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

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e) Date of the transaction	2017 - 11 - 11	
f) Place of the transaction	London - Off Market	
1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated		
a) Name	Matthew Stober	
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	Smith & Nephew plc Ordinary Shares of USD 0.20 each	
Identification code	ISIN: GB0009223206	
b) Nature of the transaction	Ordinary Shares sold to cover taxation obligations on the vesting of the Share awards granted in 2015.	
c) Price(s) and volume(s)		
	Price(s)	Volume(s)
	£13.35	834
d) Aggregated information		
- Aggregated volume	Single Transaction N/A	
- Price	N/A	
e) Date of the transaction	2017 - 11 - 13	

The London Stock Exchange  
(XLON)

f) Place of the transaction

CONDITIONAL SHARE AWARDS GRANTED UNDER THE SMITH & NEPHEW GLOBAL SHARE PLAN 2010

The awards will vest on 13 November 2020 subject to continued employment and sustained performance throughout the period:

Name	Grant date	Director/PDMR	Number of shares subject to award
Rodrigo Bianchi	13.11.2017	PDMR	46,317
Elga Lohler	13.11.2017	PDMR	21,710
Vasant Padmanabhan	13.11.2017	PDMR	25,673
Cyrille Petit	13.11.2017	PDMR	28,851
Matthew Stober	13.11.2017	PDMR	34,124
Glenn Warner	13.11.2017	PDMR	33,789

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

a) Name Rodrigo Bianchi

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position PDMR

b) Initial notification /Amendment

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Date of Transaction	Financial Instrument	Identification Code	Place of Transaction	Currency
2017 - 11 - 13	Smith & Nephew plc Ordinary Shares of USD 0.20 each	ISIN: GB0009223206	Outside a trading venue	GBP - British Pound

Nature of Transaction:	Price	Volume	Total
Conditional Share Award granted on 13 November 2017 under the Smith & Nephew Global Share Plan 2010	Aggregated £13.39	46,317	£620,185

- 1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated
  - a) Name Elga Lohler
- 2 Reason for the notification
  - a) Position ~~PDMS~~
  - b) Initial notification /Amendment
- 3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor
  - a) Name Smith & Nephew plc
  - b) LEI 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61
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2017 - 11 - 13	Smith & Nephew plc Ordinary Shares of USD 0.20 each	ISIN: GB0009223206	Outside a trading venue	GBP - British Pound

Nature of Transaction:	Price	Volume	Total
Conditional Share Award granted on 13 November 2017 under the Smith & Nephew Global Share Plan 2010	£13.39	21,710	
	Aggregated £13.39	21,710	£290,697

- 1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated
  - a) Name Vasant Padmanabhan
- 2 Reason for the notification
  - a) Position ~~FDMS~~
  - b) Initial notification /Amendment
- 3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor
  - a) Name Smith & Nephew plc
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2017 - 11 - 13	Smith & Nephew plc Ordinary Shares of USD 0.20 each	ISIN: GB0009223206	Outside a trading venue	GBP - British Pound

Nature of Transaction:	Price	Volume	Total
Conditional Share Award granted on 13 November 2017 under the Smith & Nephew Global Share Plan 2010	Aggregated £13.39	25,673	£343,762

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

a) Name Cyrille Petit

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position ~~DMR~~

b) Initial notification /Amendment

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

a) Name Smith & Nephew plc

b) LEI 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61

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Nature of Transaction:	Price	Volume	Total
Conditional Share Award granted on 13 November 2017 under the Smith & Nephew Global Share Plan 2010	Aggregated £13.39	28,851	£386,315

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

a) Name Matthew Stober

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position ~~DMR~~

b) Initial notification /Amendment

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

a) Name Smith & Nephew plc

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Nature of Transaction:	Price	Volume	Total
Conditional Share Award granted on 13 November 2017 under the Smith & Nephew Global Share Plan 2010	Aggregated £13.39	34,124	£456,920

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

a) Name Glenn Warner

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position ~~DMR~~

b) Initial notification /Amendment

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Nature of Transaction:	Price	Volume	Total
Conditional Share Award granted on 13 November 2017 under the Smith & Nephew Global Share Plan 2010	Aggregated £13.39	33,789	£452,435

Vickie Reuben  
Deputy Company Secretary  
Smith & Nephew plc

Tel: 01923 477410

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 13, 2017

By: /s/ Susan Swabey  
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Susan Swabey  
Company Secretary

