

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC
Form 6-K
April 03, 2013

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

April 03, 2013

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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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: April 03, 2013

By: /s/ Susan Swabey

Susan Swabey

Company Secretary

NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS/PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY AND CONNECTED PERSONS

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC

3 April 2013

Smith & Nephew plc announces that it received notification on 2 April 2013 that transactions by directors or persons discharging managerial responsibilities ("PDMRs") took place, following the vesting of Share Awards granted on 1 April 2011 as detailed below:

| Name of Director / PDMR | Number of Ordinary Shares / ADS vested | Number of Ordinary Shares / ADS disposed (i) | Number of Ordinary Shares / ADS following notification |
|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| Olivier Bohuon (ii) | 66,667 Ords | 16,689 Ords | 109,841 Ords |
| John Campo | 7,077 ADS | 3,372 ADS | |

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|-------------------|-------------|-------------|--|
| | | | 98,841 Ords (including 18,839 ADS) |
| Michael Frazzette | 8,846 ADS | 3,362 ADS | 156,160 Ords (including 24,734 ADS) |
| R Gordon Howe | 4,423 ADS | 1,448 ADS | 74,170 Ords (including 14,834 ADS) |
| G Kelvin Johnson | 35,324 Ords | 0 Ords | 95,371 Ords |
| Roger Teasdale | 44,155 Ords | 23,032 Ords | 65,930 Ords |

Notes:

- i) Ordinary Shares and American Depositary Shares ("ADS") were sold to settle the income tax liability which arose on vesting. The market value of the Ordinary Shares and ADS acquired and sold on 2 April 2013 was 763.0789p per Ordinary Share and \$58.15 per ADS, respectively.
- ii) The award was granted over 200,000 Ordinary Shares on 1 April 2011. One third of the award vested on 1 April 2012, a further third vested on 1 April 2013 and, subject to continued employment, the final third will vest on 1 April 2014.
- iii) One ADS is equivalent to five Ordinary Shares of US\$0.20 each.
- iv) The transactions took place in London, UK and New York, USA.
- v) The percentage of issued share capital acquired, disposed and held following notification are all under 0.1% of the total issued share capital of the Company.
- vi) This announcement is made in accordance with the requirements of DTR 3.1.4 R(1)(a).

Gemma Parsons
Deputy Company Secretary
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