SMITH & NEPHEW PLC Form 6-K May 11, 2018

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

May 11, 2018

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

11 May 2018

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 | Rodrigo Bian | nchi |
| 2 | Reason for the notification | | |
| a) | Position/status | PDMR | |
| b) | Initial notification /Amendment | Initial Notifi | cation |
| 3 | Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, or auction monitor | auction platf | form, auctioneer |
| a) | Name | Smith & Nep | phew plc |
| b) | LEI | 213800ZTM | DN8S67S1H61 |
| 4 | Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place v conducted | • • | |
| a) | Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument Identification code | Smith & Nep Ordinary Sha 0.20 each | |
| | | ISIN: GB000 | 09223206 |
| b) | Nature of the transaction | Purchase of ordinary shares through the Company's Dividend Re-Investment Plan following the 2017 final dividend payment on 9 May 2018. | |
| c) | Price(s) and volume(s) | Price(s) | Volume(s) |
| | | £13.0274 | 590.531571 |

| Aggregated information d) - Aggregated volume - Price | Single Transaction N/A N/A | |
|---|---|--|
| e) Date of the transaction | 2018 - 05 - 09 | |
| f) Place of the transaction | London Stock Exchange (XLON) | |
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| 1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated | | |
| a) Name | Bradley Cannon | |
| 2 Reason for the notification | | |
| a) Position/status | PDMR | |
| b) Initial notification /Amendment | Initial Notification | |
| Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participan or auction monitor | t, auction platform, auctioneer | |
| a) Name | Smith & Nephew plc | |
| b) LEI | 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61 | |
| 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 2017 final dividend payment on 9 May 2018. | |
| c) Price(s) and volume(s) | Price(s) Volume(s) | |
| | £13.0274 98.322075 | |

| Aggregated information d) - Aggregated volume - Price | Single Transaction N/A N/A | |
|---|--|--|
| e) Date of the transaction | 2018 - 05 - 09 | |
| f) Place of the transaction | London Stock Exchange (XLON) | |
| | | |
| Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated | | |
| a) Name | Catheryn O'Rourke | |
| 2 Reason for the notification | | |
| a) Position/status | PDMR | |
| b) Initial notification /Amendment | Initial Notification | |
| Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor | | |
| a) Name | Smith & Nephew plc | |
| b) LEI | 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61 | |
| 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 | | |
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| c) Price(s) and volume(s) | Price(s) Volume(s) | |
| | £13.0274 124.276601 | |

| Aggregated information d) - Aggregated volume - Price | Single Transaction N/A N/A | | | |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| e) Date of the transaction | 2018 - 05 - 09 | | | |
| f) Place of the transaction | London Stock Exchange (XLON) | | | |
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| 1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated | | | | |
| a) Name | Cyrille Petit | | | |
| 2 Reason for the notification | | | | |
| a) Position/status | PDMR | | | |
| b) Initial notification /Amendment | Initial Notification | | | |
| Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participan or auction monitor | t, auction platform, auctioneer | | | |
| a) Name | Smith & Nephew plc | | | |
| b) LEI | 213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61 | | | |
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| c) Price(s) and volume(s) | Price(s) Volume(s) | | | |

£13.0274 235.522130

| Aggregated information d) - Aggregated volume - Price | Single Transaction N/A N/A | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| e) Date of the transaction | 2018 - 05 - 09 | | |
| f) Place of the transaction | London Stock Exchange (XLON) | | |
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| 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 | | |
| Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participan or auction monitor | 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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| c) Price(s) and volume(s) | Price(s) Volume(s) | | |

£13.0274 143.754778

| Aggregated information d) - Aggregated volume - Price | Single Transaction N/A N/A | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| e) Date of the transaction | 2018 - 05 - 09 | | |
| f) Place of the transaction | London Stock Exchange (XLON) | | |
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| 1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated | | | |
| a) Name | Glenn Warner | | |
| 2 Reason for the notification | | | |
| a) Position/status | PDMR | | |
| b) Initial notification /Amendment | Initial Notification | | |
| Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participan or auction monitor | 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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| c) Price(s) and volume(s) | Price(s) Volume(s) | | |

£13.0274 294.322044

Single Transaction

Aggregated information

d) - Aggregated volume - Price

N/A N/A

e) Date of the transaction

2018 - 05 - 09

f) Place of the transaction

London Stock Exchange

(XLON)

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: May 11, 2018

By: /s/ Susan Swabey

Susan Swabey Company Secretary