

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC

FORM 6-K

(Report of Foreign Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16)

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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

January 16, 2019

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

16 January 2019

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

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

a)	Name	Bradley Cannon
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2	Reason for the notification	
a)	Position/status	PDMR
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b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial Notification

	Name	Smith & Nephew plc		
b)	LEI	213800ZTMDN8S67S1H61		
1	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)		Smith & Nephew plc SPON ADR American D	Depositary Shares	
	type of instrument Identification code	ISIN: US83175M2052		
)	Nature of the transaction	Purchase of American Depository Shares as pa	articipants of the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan	
:)	Price(s) and volume(s)	Price(s) \$31.569	Volume(s) 168.28218	
l)	Aggregated information	Single Transaction		
	- Aggregated volume - Price	N/A N/A		
;)	Date of the transaction	2019 - 01 - 09		
)	Place of the transaction	New York Stock Exchange		
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a)	Name	Catheryn O'Rourke		
	Reason for the notification	Catheryn O'Rourke		
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Susan Swabey 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: January 16, 2019

By: /s/ Susan Swabey
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Company Secretary