SMITH & NEPHEW PLC Form 6-K July 06, 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

July 06, 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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Yes No X

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

#### **SMITH & NEPHEW PLC**

6 July 2016

Smith & Nephew plc (the "Company") announces that it today received notification that the following persons discharging managerial responsibilities ("PDMR"), as participants in the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "Plan"), purchased American Depository Shares ("ADS") as follows:

Glenn Warner Name of PDMR John Campo

185 ADS' No. of shares 185 ADS'

acquired:

Percentage of Less than 0.01% Less than 0.01%

issued class acquired:

30 June 2016 Date of 30 June 2016

transaction:

Price per ADS: US\$28.57 US\$28.57

85,842 Ordinary Shares 7,368 Ordinary Shares (including Total holding

following

(including 11,005 ADS') 1,291 ADS')

notification:

Less than 0.01% Less than 0.01% Total

percentage holding following notification:

- 1. This transaction took place in New York, USA.
- 2. This announcement is made in accordance with the requirements of the former DTR 3.1.4 (a) R, as the transaction took place prior to repeal of this regulation.

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3. One ADS is the equivalent of two Ordinary Shares of US\$0.20 each.

Elaine Richardson Deputy Company Secretary Smith & Nephew plc Tel: 020 7401 7646

#### **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: July 06, 2016

By: /s/ Susan Swabey

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Susan Swabey Company Secretary