

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC  
Form 6-K  
April 02, 2012

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 2, 2012

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)

[Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.]

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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 2, 2012

Susan Henderson

By: /s/ Susan Henderson

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Company Secretary

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

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC

2 April 2012

Smith & Nephew plc (the "Company") announces that it has today received notification of the following transaction by a person discharging managerial responsibilities ("PDMR").

Name of director/PDMR: Olivier Bohuon

Share Award: Restricted Share Award

Number of ordinary shares vested: 66,667

No. of ordinary shares disposed: 29,992 (ii)

Total holding of ordinary shares following notification: 36,675

Notes

The award was granted on 1 April 2011. One third of the award vested on 1 April 2012, a further third will vest on i) 1 April 2013 and the final third will vest on 1 April 2014.

These shares were sold to settle the income tax liability which arose on vesting. The market value of the shares ii) acquired and sold on 2 April 2012 was 633.5001p per share.

The transactions took place in London, UK. iii)

The total percentage holding following notification is less than 0.1%. iv)

This announcement is made in accordance with the requirements of DTR 3.1.4 R(1)(a) v)

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Smith & Nephew plc  
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