SMITH & NEPHEW PLC Form 6-K April 01, 2011

# 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 01, 2011

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 19 signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.	
	Smith & Nephew Plc (Registrant)
Date: April 01, 2011	
	By: /s/ Susan Henderson
Susan Henderson	Company Secretary

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

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

1 April 2011

Smith & Nephew plc (the "Company") announces that it has today granted the following restricted share awards to directors or persons discharging managerial responsibilities ("PDMR"):

Name of PDMR Number of ordinary shares or ADSs under

award

Naseem Amin 35,324 ordinary shares

Mark Augusti 8,846 ADSs

Olivier Bohuon 200,000 ordinary shares

John Campo7,077 ADSsJoseph DeVivo8,846 ADSsMichael Frazzette8,846 ADSsR Gordon Howe4,423 ADSs

G Kelvin Johnson 35,324 ordinary shares Roger Teasdale 44,155 ordinary shares

#### Notes:

The award made to Olivier Bohuon will vest, subject to continued employment, in equal tranches over 3 years (i) following the award date.

All other awards will vest, subject to continued employment, on the second anniversary of the award date.

(ii)

No consideration is payable for these awards.

(iii)

These awards will be settled using market purchase shares.

(iv)

The transaction took place in London, UK.

This announcement is made in accordance with the requirements of DTR 3.1.2 R.

Gemma Parsons

**Deputy Company Secretary** 

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