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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

November 01, 2017

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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1 November 2017

NOTIFICATION AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE EU MARKET ABUSE REGUALTION 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 Bianchi
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) e 4 each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place conducted	• •
a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument Identification code	Options over Smith & Nephew plc Ordinary Shares of USD 0.20 each
	ISIN: GB0009223206
b) Nature of the transaction	Exercise only of options granted on 16 September 2014 under the Smith & Nephew International Sharesave Plan (2012) at an option price of £8.31 per share.
c) Price(s) and volume(s)	Price(s) Volume(s) £8.31 per share 219
d) Aggregated information	Single Transaction

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- Aggregated volume- PriceN/A

e) Date of the transaction 2017 - 11 - 1

f) Place of the transaction Outside a Trading Venue

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: November 01, 2017

By: /s/ Susan Swabey

Susan Swabey Company Secretary