

SMITH & NEPHEW PLC  
Form 6-K  
August 15, 2008

**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**

August 15, 2008

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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Form 40-F  
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Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2 (b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.]

Yes

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No ☒

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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: August 15, 2008

By: /s/ Paul Chambers  
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Paul Chambers  
Company Secretary

**BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN**

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To: The FSA

Date: 15 August 2008

Name of applicant:

Smith & Nephew plc

Name of scheme:

1985 Executive Share Option Scheme

Period of return:

From:

24 January 2008 To:

23 July 2008

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| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                       | 16,212                                                                                                                                |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: |                                                                                                                                       |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                                 | 3,349                                                                                                                                 |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                    | 12,863                                                                                                                                |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                       | 30,000 Ordinary Shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 13 February 2007                                                               |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                     | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury. |

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| Telephone number of contact: | 0207 960 2228                    |

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|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Name of applicant:                         | Smith & Nephew plc                               |
| Name of scheme:                            | 1990 International Executive Share Option Scheme |
| Period of return:                          | From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008           |
| Balance under scheme from previous return: | 816,465                                          |

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The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A  
if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last  
return:

Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during 89,584  
period:

Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of 726,881  
period

Number and class of securities originally listed and the date 1,850,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each on 23  
of admission January 2006

Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in  
issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each  
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Name of applicant: Smith & Nephew plc  
Name of scheme: 1991 Overseas Employee Share Option Scheme  
Period of return: From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008  
Balance under scheme from previous return: 14,930  
The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A  
if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last

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return:

Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during N/A

period:

Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of 14,930  
period

Number and class of securities originally listed and the date 27,500 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each originally  
of admission listed on 23 January 2006

Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in  
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Name of applicant:

Smith & Nephew plc

Name of scheme:

2001 UK Approved Share Option Scheme

Period of return:

From:

24 January 2008 To:

23 July 2008

Balance under scheme from previous return:

379,601

The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A

if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last  
return:

Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during 71,626  
period:

Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of 307,975  
period

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Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission 500,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 23 January 2006  
Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury.

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Name of applicant: Smith & Nephew plc  
Name of scheme: 2001 UK Unapproved Share Option Scheme  
Period of return: From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008  
Balance under scheme from previous return: 1,473,933  
The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A  
if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return:  
Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during 317,724  
period:  
Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of 1,156,209  
period  
Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission 1,000,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 13 February 2007. 500,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents listed on 2 August 2007.  
Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period

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| Name of applicant:                                                                                                           | Smith & Nephew plc                                                                                                                                   |
| Name of scheme:                                                                                                              | 2001 US Share Option Scheme                                                                                                                          |
| Period of return:                                                                                                            | From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008                                                                                                               |
| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                   | 794, 6 75                                                                                                                                            |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: | N/A                                                                                                                                                  |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                             | 581,975                                                                                                                                              |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                | 212,700                                                                                                                                              |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                   | 1,500,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 13 February 2007. 1,000,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 2 August 2007. |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                 | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury.                |

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| Name of applicant:                                                                                                           | Smith & Nephew plc                                                                                                                    |
| Name of scheme:                                                                                                              | International Employees Share Option Scheme                                                                                           |
| Period of return:                                                                                                            | From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                   | 493,528                                                                                                                               |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: | N/A                                                                                                                                   |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                             | 58,548                                                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                | 434,980                                                                                                                               |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                   | 1,000,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 23 January 2006                                                             |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                 | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury. |

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| Name of applicant:                                                                                                               | Smith & Nephew plc                                                                                                                    |
| Name of scheme:                                                                                                                  | UK Employee Share Option Scheme                                                                                                       |
| Period of return:                                                                                                                | From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                       | 312,461                                                                                                                               |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: |                                                                                                                                       |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                                 | 49,586                                                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                    | 262,875                                                                                                                               |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                       | 1,500,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 23 January 2006                                                             |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                     | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury. |

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| Name of applicant:                                                                                                           | Smith & Nephew plc                                                                                                                    |
| Name of scheme:                                                                                                              | 2004 Performance Share Plan                                                                                                           |
| Period of return:                                                                                                            | From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                   | 750,000                                                                                                                               |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: | N/A                                                                                                                                   |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                             | 87,491                                                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                | 662,509                                                                                                                               |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                   | 750,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 13 February 2007                                                              |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                 | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury. |

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| Name of applicant:                                                                                                               | Smith & Nephew plc                                                                                                                    |
| Name of scheme:                                                                                                                  | 2004 Executive Share Option Plan                                                                                                      |
| Period of return:                                                                                                                | From: 24 January 2008 To: 23 July 2008                                                                                                |
| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                       | 939,397                                                                                                                               |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, N/A if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: |                                                                                                                                       |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                                 | 115,386                                                                                                                               |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                    | 824,011                                                                                                                               |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                       | 1,000,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 13 February 2007                                                            |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                     | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury. |

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| Name of applicant:                                                                                                           | Smith & Nephew plc                                                                                                                    |                  |
| Name of scheme:                                                                                                              | 2004 Co-investment Plan                                                                                                               |                  |
| Period of return:                                                                                                            | From: 24 January 2008                                                                                                                 | To: 23 July 2008 |
| Balance under scheme from previous return:                                                                                   | 577,086                                                                                                                               |                  |
| The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return: | N/A                                                                                                                                   |                  |
| Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during period:                                                             | N/A                                                                                                                                   |                  |
| Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted at end of period                                                                | 577,086                                                                                                                               |                  |
| Number and class of securities originally listed and the date of admission                                                   | 750,000 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each listed on 13 February 2007                                                              |                  |
| Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period                                                                 | 885,461,913 ordinary shares of US\$ 20 cents each are in issue. 63,474,483 ordinary shares of US\$20 cents each are held in treasury. |                  |

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