SMITH & NEPHEW PLC Form 6-K February 07, 2013

## 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

February 07, 2013

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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Yes No X

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Yes No X

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Yes No X

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## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.	s duly caused this report to be
	Smith & Nephew Plo (Registrant)
Date: February 07, 2013	
	By: /s/ Susan Swabey
Susan Swabey	Company Secretary
Smith & Nephew plc	
7 February 2013	
Smith & Nephew plc - Application for Block listings.	

Application has been made to The UK Listing Authority and The London Stock Exchange for block listings totalling 3,000,000 Ordinary Shares of \$0.20 each to trade on The London Stock Exchange and to be admitted to The Official List. The shares shall rank equally with the existing issued shares of the Company.

The block listings consist of 1,500,000 Ordinary Shares to be issued under the Global Share Plan 2010, 1,000,000 Ordinary Shares to be issued under the 2001 US Share Plan and 500,000 Ordinary Shares to be issued under the 2001 UK Unapproved Share Option Scheme.

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