ASTRAZENECA PLC Form 6-K January 02, 2013

### FORM 6-K

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of January 2013

Commission File Number: 001-11960

#### AstraZeneca PLC

2 Kingdom Street, London W2 6BD

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Transaction by Person Discharging Managerial Responsibilities

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On 28 December 2012, Graham Chipchase, a Director of the Company notified us that, on 27 December 2012, he purchased 850 AstraZeneca PLC Ordinary Shares of \$0.25 each at a price of 2940 pence per share.

Following this purchase, Graham Chipchase has a total interest in 1,500 AstraZeneca shares.

A C N Kemp Company Secretary 28 December 2012

#### **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.

AstraZeneca PLC

Date: 02 January 2013 By: /s/ Adrian Kemp

Name: Adrian Kemp Title: Company Secretary