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**VOLTA Announces New Location at the Armoyan Center in Downtown Halifax.**

Halifax, NS, April 11th, 2023 — VOLTA, Halifax's Startup hub, is excited to announce its relocation to the 8th floor of the The Armoyan Centre, located at 1800 Argyle St in Downtown Halifax. This move realigns VOLTA's available space with the evolving needs of early-stage startups in the region, including the growing demand for hybrid support.

In November 2021, VOLTA expanded its support to cater to teams based in Atlantic Canada by offering virtual services, which now makes up more than 50% of its 40+ resident startups. This change has allowed VOLTA to better address the needs of the startup community in the region.

"We began our journey as two novice entrepreneurs at Volta's inaugural location," says Thomas Rankin, CEO and Co-Founder of Dash Hudson. "Throughout various significant transformations in our product and business, the unwavering support of the Volta community played a pivotal role in our growth. They served as our initial customers, a platform for brainstorming ideas, and a resource for finding our first employees. Now, as a flourishing business with over 220 employees in Downtown Halifax, we are thrilled to see the new Volta location and program embody the same spirit that contributed to our success." he continued.

The new space will prioritize a vibrant community center, where entrepreneurs can connect, collaborate, and work together. Dedicated offices will be provided, with priority given to teams that are developing a full-time, on-site workforce. Ample flexible workspace will allow startups the flexibility they need as their team size grows.

VOLTA's new location will be a modern, inviting, and functional environment that caters to the unique needs of its startup community. The doors of the new space are expected to open early this fall.

"We are thrilled about our upcoming move to The Armoyan Center", said Matt Cooper, CEO of VOLTA. "This new location, along with our expanded virtual support, will enable us to better support the growth and development of early-stage startups in Halifax and Atlantic Canada by providing a central community space that fosters collaboration and founder connection."

"We are delighted to welcome VOLTA to The Armoyan Center. This is a partnership that reflects our shared passion for fostering entrepreneurs and driving positive change in Nova Scotia. VOLTA's mission to empower startups in tackling the world's most pressing challenges perfectly aligns with our commitment to nurturing a vibrant community. Their presence will infuse our space with fresh ideas, energy, and inspiration, ultimately benefiting the broader Nova Scotia community." said George Armoyan

Over the past 10 years, VOLTA has supported more than 150 startups that have collectively raised over \$400 million in Venture Capital funding and created over 3,500 jobs. As VOLTA prepares to transition to its new home, the team remains committed to providing uninterrupted support to its startup community, both in-person and virtually. Updates and further details about the new space will be shared as they become available.

### **About VOLTA**

VOLTA is dedicated to supporting the growth and success of early-stage technology startups. With a focus on fostering an effective entrepreneurial community, VOLTA provides startups with access to skill



development, 1:1 coaching, workspace, and resources that are essential for growth and innovation, both in-person and virtually. Since its inception, VOLTA has supported more than 150 startups, and its alumni have collectively raised over \$400 million in Venture Capital funding and generated more than 3,500 jobs.

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