

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF RETAIL ENTITLEMENT OFFER

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Nuheara Ltd (ASX: NUH, "**Nuheara**" or the "**Company**") is pleased to announce the successful completion of the retail component ("**Retail Entitlement Offer**") of its 1 for 2.64 pro-rata accelerated non-renounceable entitlement offer ("**Entitlement Offer**") that was announced on Tuesday, 10 October 2023.

The Retail Entitlement Offer closed at 5.00pm (AWST) on Monday, 6 November 2023 and raised approximately \$0.5 million at \$0.13 per fully paid ordinary share ("**New Share**"). Together with the institutional component of the Entitlement Offer ("**Institutional Offer**") that raised approximately \$2.5 million, the total amount raised is approximately \$3.0 million ("**Capital Raising**"). Additionally, the Company has received commitments for \$0.9 million of shortfall securities from new and existing shareholders. Overall, approximately \$3.9 million has been raised from the Entitlement Offer to date.

The Retail Entitlement Offer is lead managed by Bell Potter Securities Limited ("**Bell Potter**" and "Lead Manager").

Under the Retail Entitlement Offer, in addition to each Eligible Retail Shareholder's entitlement (as defined in Nuheara's Prospectus released to ASX on Tuesday, 10 October 2023) ("**Entitlement**"), Eligible Retail Shareholders were offered the opportunity to apply for additional new shares ("**New Shares**") under a "top-up" facility.

Approximately \$0.5 million of valid applications were received from Eligible Retail Shareholders, representing a take-up rate of approximately 6%. Approximately 54.1 million New Shares were not taken up by Eligible Retail Shareholders under the Retail Entitlement Offer.

The Company is seeking firm commitments to place the shortfall for those Shares that were not taken up by Eligible Retail Shareholders and has already received commitments for \$0.9 million from new and existing shareholders. It is the Company's intention to place the balance of the shortfall in due course. In addition, Nuheara expects to receive its \$1.4 million R&D tax rebate before the end of 2023 to further support its growth plans.

New Shares issued under the Retail Entitlement Offer will rank equally in all respects with existing Nuheara ordinary shares. Settlement of the Retail Entitlement Offer is scheduled for Friday, 10 November 2023. The New Shares are expected to be issued on Monday, 13 November 2023 and commence trading on the ASX on a normal settlement basis on Tuesday, 14 November 2023. Holding statements in respect of New Shares issued under the Retail Entitlement Offer are expected to be dispatched on Tuesday, 14 November 2023.

Proceeds from the Capital Raising will strengthen Nuheara's capability to execute on its accelerated US expansion and expected future opportunities. Completion of the Retail Entitlement Offer represents the final stage of the Capital Raising.

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This announcement was authorised for release by the Managing Director and CEO of Nuheara. All dollar amounts are in Australian dollars unless otherwise indicated.



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ABOUT NUHEARA LIMITED

Nuheara is a global leader in smart hearing technology which change people's lives by enhancing the power to hear. As a global pioneer in Hearable products, Nuheara developed proprietary, multi-functional, personalised intelligent hearing devices that augments a person's hearing. Nuheara is headquartered in Perth, Australia and was the first consumer wearables technology company to be listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX).

In 2016, the Company released its revolutionary wireless earbuds, IQbuds, which allow consumers to augment their hearing according to their personal hearing preferences. In 2020 Nuheara released its third generation IQbuds² MAX, recognised by Time Magazine as one of the Best Inventions of the year. In 2021, Nuheara transformed its operations to include medical device manufacturing for its hearing aid products to meet global demand for mild to moderate hearing loss. Nuheara products are now sold Direct to Consumer (DTC) and in major consumer electronics retailers, professional hearing clinics, pharmacies and speciality retailers around the world.

In October 2022, Nuheara received an FDA 510(k) certification for its self-fit hearing aid, having previously signed a worldwide trademark licensing agreement with HP Inc to sell Nuheara hearing aid products under the HP brand name.

The Company's mission is to transform the way people hear by creating smart hearing solutions that are both accessible and affordable. For further information, please visit <u>https://www.nuheara.com/</u>.

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