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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Prachar Michael Patrick</u> _____ (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O VOLATO GROUP, INC.</u> <u>1954 AIRPORT ROAD, UNIT 124</u> _____ (Street) <u>CHAMBLEE GA 30341</u> _____ (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Volato Group, Inc. [SOAR]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/15/2022</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				
Common Stock								15,271	D		
Common Stock	10/25/2024		M		8,813	A	\$0.14	8,813	I	Held by Spouse	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.14	12/15/2022		A		8,813		12/01/2023	11/28/2024	Stock Option (right to buy)	8,813	\$0.14	8,813 ⁽¹⁾	I	Held by Spouse
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.14	10/25/2024		M		8,813		12/01/2023 ⁽²⁾	11/28/2024	Stock Option (right to buy)	8,813	\$0.14	0	I	Held by Spouse

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The options were granted to Ms. Prachar on December 15, 2022. The late filing is due to an inadvertent administrative error and not any error of the reporting person.
- 2. On December 15, 2022, Ms. Prachar was granted 8,813 options that fully vested as of December 1, 2023.

Remarks:

/s/ Mark Heinen, by Power of Attorney 12/12/2024
 ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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