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Ref: Application for Trainee Solicitor, 2022

Hi,

I would like to apply for the position of a Trainee Solicitor (2022) at your firm. I strongly believe that my skill set and experience match those sought by Byrne Wallace LLP and I am eager to be part of the professionally rewarding trainee programme. This position with your firm is the exact opportunity I have been seeking to begin my journey as a commercial legal professional in Ireland.

I completed my LL.M (Master's in Law, International and European Business Law), 2018-2019 at Trinity College Dublin, University of Dublin (Key Modules: Corporate Governance in the EU, International Economic Law, International Business Tax Law, Mergers and Acquisitions, International Trade Law and International Dispute Resolution.)

At my most recent professional posting, I was a legal intern with the Real Estate and Property team of BHSM LLP in Dublin. Here I underwent legal case management training via **Keyhouse** and learnt the ropes of working in a law firm based in Dublin. Being one of the skeletal staff that were manning the office during Covid restrictions, I was required to undertake extensive tasks assigned to me by solicitors and partners working from home. I assisted in the closing of several property transactions and receiverships. I also conducted research for now-published articles involving the logistics leasing sector in Ireland as well as the new model of Cost-Rental Housing proposed by the government.

I have attempted and cleared all 8 FE-1s, with 5 subjects in the November 2020 sitting and 3 subjects in the March 2021 sitting, each in my first attempt.

Prior to coming to Dublin for my LL.M, I was employed as a Junior Associate at DMD Advocates in Mumbai, India, a commercial full-service law firm that catered to corporate as well as private clients.

My work ethos has always been client-driven and I am committed to finding solutions for challenging problems. My organisational, legal research and drafting skills have received accolades in every endeavour that I have undertaken in my professional journey. I am a strong team player who has also consistently delivered desired results in an autonomous capacity.

I look forward to a positive revert from you and may be contacted at any time. I am available to start immediately and am actively seeking a traineeship, as I intend to commence PPC-1 at Blackhall Place in 2022.

Yours Sincerely,

Antrip Bhattacharjee