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To whom this may concern,

I am a graduate of Dublin City University holding a BCL (Law and Society). I completed the FE-1 Examination in two sittings and did so with no repeats. I am currently employed at Matheson, Cork as a Legal Executive within the Financial Institutions Group.

I am writing to you to express my interest in the firm’s Trainee Programme. I have chosen to apply to the Trainee Programme at ByrneWallace for a number of reasons:

ByrneWallace is committed to excellence through cultivating an employee base of talented and passionate individuals and it is my goal to become one of those individuals to further develop my professional experience while growing my passion for law.

I want to be a part of a highly respected firm with strong values and satisfied clients, and it is very apparent that ByrneWallace takes this as a point of pride. This firm’s many accolades (including Top Legal Advisor to Public Sector 2019) make it very clear that this is a firm committed to being the very best- not just in accolades but, when it comes to the individual satisfaction of each client.

I greatly value the fact that many existing partners started their legal careers as trainee solicitors with the firm. This to me signifies a truly satisfied work force.

Moreover, I believe that this firm will give me the opportunity to thrive as trainees are empowered to ensure that they get the utmost from their training.

Further, I respect the weight that ByrneWallace places on its corporate social responsibility policy. I have viewed first-hand the impact that volunteering can have on disadvantaged communities through volunteering with SUAS and other organisations.

My experience of working at a law firm has given me a clear understanding of what is required to work and train as a solicitor. I am fully committed to the profession and am really looking forward to immersing myself in it by way of beginning a Traineeship.

I believe that my drive and commitment coupled with my genuine passion for law means that I would be a great fit for ByrneWallace.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Aoife Ryan