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Summer Internship Programme 2016

Dear ByrneWallace Recruitment Committee,

I would like to apply for a position in the ByrneWallace summer internship programme. I understand as a top tier firm, ByrneWallace remains focused on advising both foreign and Irish companies and financial institutions. At this stage in my professional development, I believe I would greatly benefit from exposure to a forefront firm in the legal industry that advises companies driving Ireland’s economy. Advisory functions undertaken by ByrneWallace highlight the firm’s impressive stature, as indicated in the sale of 3D4 Medical shares worth USD $16.4 million to Irish-based global life sciences company Malin Corporation plc, and Accel-KKR’s first venture capital investment in Ireland equating to a USD $20 million equity investment in Clavis Insight. Additionally, in receiving the 2016 Irish International Client Awards for both Banking and Employment & Benefits, accolades further demonstrate the firm’s high standard of customer service, and loyalty to its employees. Such respect for its workforce makes ByrneWallace an enticing firm to work for. Furthermore, I believe myself to be an excellent candidate for the summer internship because of my interest in international business news, passion for global political affairs and record of academic success at Trinity College and the University of Pittsburgh. I have attached a copy of my CV as requested.

As a third year law student at Trinity College Dublin, I have developed an interest in various aspects of commercial and finance law, and would appreciate the opportunity to explore the array of practice areas offered by the firm. As a student, intern or employee, I always strive to be diligent, hardworking and honest, devoting my utmost towards every task. I possess comprehensive knowledge of customer service from working in retail and previous legal internships. These skills of interaction and providing trustworthy, informed advice might prove invaluable within a commercial law environment. Despite my ability to work well on my own initiative, as demonstrated by my caseworker internship with the Irish Innocence Project and having researched and defended my honours thesis, I also understand the importance of working effectively as part of a team. Given previous employment in multidisciplinary work environments and having participated in team sports for many years, I believe myself most capable of integrating into the firm’s team.

It remains an exciting time to enter the legal profession given recent economic growth and influx of foreign and domestic investment. ByrneWallace has shown great character and ingenuity in establishing itself at the forefront of the legal industry and I would welcome the opportunity to work for, and learn from, the firm.

Thank you for your consideration and I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours Sincerely,

Callum Abbott