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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my interest in this role, as advertised. With a solid background at one of the top ranked law firms in Ireland and within the European market, in addition to a passion for customer service and a keen interest in the legal sector, I am excited about the opportunity to contribute my skills to Byrne Wallace LLP.

As a final year bachelor's in civil law student at Dublin City University, I have not only achieved a consistent 2:1 grade but also have dedicated my academic journey to modules such as Company Law and Contract Law. This dedication drives me to be an adaptable and adaptive learner. During my time as a litigation intern at ALG, I developed problem-solving, and management qualities. These skills, combined with my proficiency in Microsoft Excel, Word and drafting emails, make me well-equipped to contribute to your litigation team's productivity, optimizing client experiences and performance in a dynamic department. This role is particularly relevant as it has also equipped me with a wider sense of commercial awareness and an understanding of cross-border trade and development.

While working as a waiter, I demonstrated reliability and adaptability. These experiences have solidified my dedication to providing excellent customer service and my ability to work effectively under pressure, key qualities for supporting a diverse legal sector's client need. However important these qualities may be, I essentially view this role as a learning opportunity and incredible chance to broaden my perspective. As a person from a Nigerian background, I would be suitable as I do not take education for granted, as many in my family have limited access to such. For this reason, I am focused, determined and I am constantly open to the idea of learning and gaining new skills and qualities. Transferrable skills which I believe will aid throughout my career & potential time at this organisation.

This role resonates with my passion for delivering exceptional work under challenging conditions and contributing to commercial growth. I am excited about the prospect of using my legal foundation, and growing knowledge of commercial disputes to thrive in this role and support this Byrne Wallace's mission. At secondary school, I was the environmental officer and member of the student council. I would note that this demonstrates my early commitment to responsible business, the wider importance of ESG and sustainable procurement. I personally am curious of the Firm's commitment to these issues and am confident that my ability to work well in a team would make me an asset to your organisation.

Thank you for considering my application. Please let me know if you have any further questions regarding my application or qualifications.

Yours faithfully,
Jennifer Agbenla.