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**Re: ByrneWallace Trainee Solicitor Programme Application – Kevin Brophy**

Dear Sir/Madam

I would very much like to be considered for the ByrneWallace Trainee Solicitor Programme for the reasons outlined below.

I recently graduated with a Masters in Common Law from University College Dublin. I have passed six Law Society of Ireland FE-1 Examinations to date.

Both my work experience (I have completed internships with Maples and Calder LLP and Clark Hill Solicitors and I am currently working as a Graduate Legal Analyst in Brightflag) and my volunteer experience (I served on the Editorial Board of the University College Dublin Law Review) have exposed me to several areas of law that I have developed a keen interest in, such as finance law and banking law. I wrote my Masters Research Project on the European Banking Union.

ByrneWallace’s clients, consisting of top multinationals, financial institutions, entrepreneurs and investors, are very exciting prospects to be able to work with. I understand that ByrneWallace has excellent training programmes and clear lines for career advancement. I also understand that Byrnewallace has impressive trainee retention rates which further enforces my belief that I can enjoy a career with the Firm.

My Bachelor of Arts (International) in Economics, Politics and International Relations provides me with a unique lens through which I can analyse the law.

My experience as an international student in Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada has provided me with a much more globalised perspective on the job market, and it is imperative for me that I train with a Firm that is internationally recognised and respected.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my application. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information. I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

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