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Dear Recruitment Team,

I wish to apply for the Trainee Programme at Byrne Wallace. I have passed five of the eight FE1 exams and I am planning on sitting the remaining three at the start of November. As mentioned in my CV, I have legal experience working in both DWF and Beauchamps.

During my time in DWF, I was initially brought in for only one week to get a feel for life in a corporate law firm. After a productive week with the firm, I was invited for three weeks paid work, working alongside partners and senior associates. My three weeks spent in DWF were enjoyable as I was constantly kept busy and I feel that I thrived working in an office environment.

I found my time spent in Beauchamps also to be of benefit to me. As well as working within the Energy and Natural Resources Department of the firm, I also took part in a mock trial with my fellow interns which was an enjoyable yet challenging experience.

One of the reasons I would like to work for Byrne Wallace in particular, is the focus the firm has on both local communities and surrounding areas. The opportunity the firm gives to both men and women from the St John of Gods Hospital with learning difficulties appealed to me in particular. The firm is offering these individuals a chance to experience the life of a solicitor when this opportunity may not have been available to them previously. In my opinion, this is an indication of the values within the firm and that the firm would be a friendly environment to work in.

I would appreciate if you would consider my application and I look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Yours sincerely,

Kieran McGrath