Abbey Road,

 Garryhesta,

 Ovens,

 Co. Cork.

 17th October 2016

The HR Manager,

Byrne Wallace,

87-88 Harcourt Street,

Dublin 2.

Dear Sir/ Madam,

**Re: Trainee Solicitor Programme**

Please find attached my Curriculum Vitae in response to the vacancy on your website , from which you will see I have a First Class Honours law degree and ranked second out of fifty-eight students in my BCL class at University College Cork.

I am very keen on the prospect of undertaking a training contract with Byrne Wallace due to your wide range of leading practice areas and your excellent reputation within Ireland. After graduating with a BCL degree in 2014, I gained two years of work experience within various legal sectors. I am now ready to take the next step in my career and I would love the opportunity to work for your firm.

On the personal side, I believe I have drive and initiative, excellent communication skills with the ambition to take responsibility where appropriate. I also have the motivation to succeed. I would be very enthusiastic to work in such a highly reputable and professional environment as Byrne Wallace.

I very much look forward to discussing my application at length with you and I hope to hear from you in due course.

Yours Sincerely,

Máiréad Dinneen