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**By email**

Byrne Wallace

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Dublin 2 8th October 2016

**Re: Trainee Solicitor Application**

Dear Sirs,

I refer to the above advertised position and accordingly enclose herewith my CV for your consideration, in which I have outlined my work history, qualifications and achievements to date. Having successfully completed all Fe1s, I am currently pursuing the route to qualification.

I am very commercially focused and have strong experience within Investment Banking and Funds. I have also more recently added to this after having opted to return to study law by gaining exposure to working within a busy entrepreneurial commercial law practice via an internship, in which I have also developed a keen interest in litigation, to complement and enhance my commercial awareness.

I am currently employed within the legal projects team of A&L Goodbody which has provided me with invaluable experience across a wide range of technical and legal areas with a strong focus on commercial property and banking. This has provided me with access to key people within the firm who have aided me in training and development.

Whilst I very much enjoy this role I am committed to qualifying as a solicitor and am keen to further develop my career in this regard. I am extremely interested in undertaking a traineeship of the calibre of that provided by Byrne Wallace.

I am confident that my academic achievements and my work experience to date have provided me with the skills and experience required to hit the ground running and succeed in the long term in this role.

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Robert Reid