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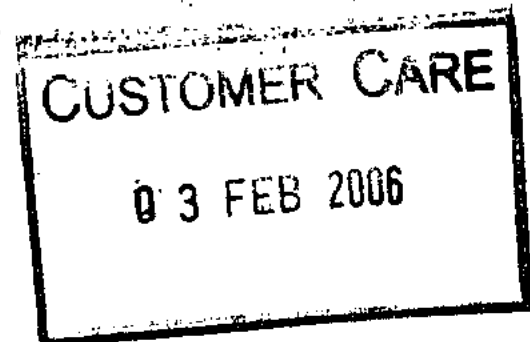
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Dear Ms Donnellan,

I refer to your correspondence of 19th January 2006 re the enforcement by Gardai of the Council Bye-law re the drinking of alcohol in public places.

This District has a pro-active stance in respect of persons drinking alcohol in public places. We do not tolerate this type of activity.

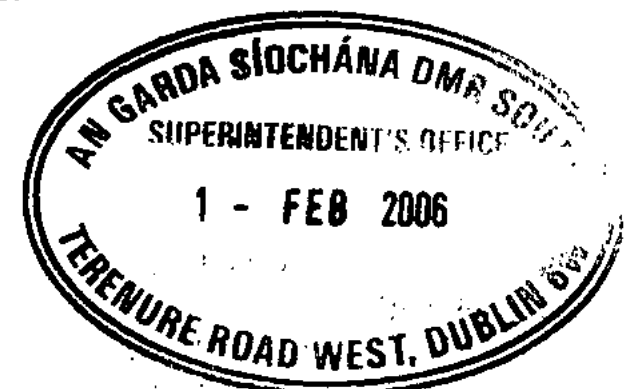
The Gardai are obliged to comply with the provisions of Sections 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24 and 25, Children's Act 2001, in respect of persons under the age of 18 found committing an offence.

To reiterate, we do not tolerate the drinking of alcohol in public places. Policing initiatives in respect of this issue are carried out during the summer months, with priority being given to public areas, including public parks.

Yours sincerely,

(Frank Moore)

Superintendent



Mission Statement

To achieve the highest attainable level of Personal Protection, Community Commitment and State Security.