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Dear Sir/Madam,

I live right on the coast in Balbriggan and have had numerous problems over the past 41 years with seagulls, many of those were serious problems BUT I have learned to live with them! I have flocks of seagulls in my garden on a daily basis, I do not deal with the seagull problem that I have by killing them!! For goodness sake, has the world gone stone mad?! Having had to live with them over this many years I have come to know seagulls **very very** well! I have come to know how to deal with them so that we can all live amicably together. So what happens if we put bread out for the blackbirds (like I did a few minutes ago in the snow) and seagulls appear out of nowhere (like they do) and eat the blackbirds food, am I to be prosecuted????? Are we to stop feeding all birds altogether? **Because this is what we would have to do** so as not to allow any seagull swoop down for food! This would change our ecosystem! Yes I am quite furious with these outrageous plans.

Best regards,
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