

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

In the Matter of BRIANNA NICOLE HENDERSON,
Minor.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

LARRY HENDERSON,

Respondent-Appellant.

and

DEBRA KAY HARRIS,

Respondent.

Before: McDonald, P.J., and Hood and Doctoroff, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Respondent-appellant appeals as of right from the court's order terminating his parental rights to the minor child under MCL 712A.19b(3)(i) and (j); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(i) and (j). We affirm.

The court did not clearly err in finding that the statutory grounds for termination were established by clear and convincing evidence. MCR 5.974; *In re Miller*, 433 Mich 331, 337; 445 NW2d 161 (1989). Respondent-appellant does not argue, nor does the record indicate, that termination of his parental rights was clearly not in the child's best interests. MCL 712A.19b(5); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(5); *In re Hall-Smith*, 222 Mich App 470, 472-473; 564 NW2d 156

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(1997). Therefore, the court did not err in terminating respondent-appellant's parental rights to the child. *Id.*

Affirmed.

/s/ Gary R. McDonald

/s/ Harold Hood

/s/ Martin M. Doctoroff