

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

In the Matter of CHRISTI DAWN BROWN,
ASHLEY NICOLE BROWN and HENRY RAY
BROWN, JR., Minors.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

PETRA TORRES BROWN,

Respondent-Appellant.

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No. 213644

Wayne Circuit Court

Family Division

LC No. 97-350487

Before: White, P.J., and Markey and Wilder, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Respondent appeals as of right from the family court order terminating her parental rights to the minor children under MCL 712A.19b(3)(b)(ii), (c)(i) and (j); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(b)(ii), (c)(i) and (j). We affirm.

The family court did not clearly err in finding that the statutory grounds for termination were established by clear and convincing evidence. MCR 5.974(I); *In re Miller*, 433 Mich 331, 337; 445 NW2d 161 (1989). Further, respondent failed to show that termination of her parental rights was clearly not in the children'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 (1997). Thus, the family court did not err in terminating respondent's parental rights to the children. *Id.*

Affirmed.

/s/ Helene N. White

/s/ Jane E. Markey

/s/ Kurtis T. Wilder