

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
COURT OF APPEALS

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In the Matter of DONTAYE MILLER, CECELIA  
CLARK, TYRELL CLARK and ANDREW CLARK,  
Minors.

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FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

LAREESE CATRINA POWELL and ERIC MILLER,

Respondents-Appellants,

and

TYRELL CLARK,

Respondent.

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Nos. 213542;213733  
Genesee Circuit Court  
Family Division  
LC No. 96-105777 NA

Before: Griffin, P.J., and Zahra and S.L. Pavlich\*, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Respondents-appellants appeal as of right from the family court orders terminating their parental rights to the minor children under MCL 712A.19b(3)(c)(i) and (g); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(c)(i) and (g). 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, respondents-appellants failed to show that termination of their 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 respondents-appellants' parental rights to the children.

\* Circuit judge, sitting on the Court of Appeals by assignment.

Affirmed.

/s/ Richard Allen Griffin

/s/ Brian K. Zahra

/s/ Scott L. Pavlich