

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

In the Matter of DE'RONDIA HOUSE and TYRONE
GILCREASE, Minors.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

HIYWANICA DUNNING,

Respondent-Appellant,

and

MORRIS HOUSE and TYRONE GILCREASE, SR.,

Respondents.

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January 4, 2000

No. 218395

Kalamazoo Circuit Court

Family Division

LC No. 92-000074 NA

Before: Saad, P.J., and McDonald and Gage, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Respondent-appellant appeals as of right from the family court order terminating her parental rights to the minor children under MCL 712A.19b(3)(g) and (h); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(g) and (h). We affirm.

Only one statutory ground is required to terminate parental rights. *In re McIntyre*, 192 Mich App 47, 50; 480 NW2d 293 (1991). Although the family court erred in terminating respondent-appellant's parental rights under § 19b(3)(h), the court did not clearly err in finding that the remaining statutory ground for termination, § 19b(3)(g), was established by clear and convincing evidence. MCR 5.974(I); *In re Miller*, 433 Mich 331, 337; 445 NW2d 161 (1989). Further, respondent-appellant 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-appellant's parental rights to the children. *Id.*

Affirmed.

/s/ Henry William Saad

/s/ Gary R. McDonald

/s/ Hilda R. Gage