

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
COURT OF APPEALS

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In the Matter of CHERRINITA HARPER and  
KALIAH HARPER, Minors.

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FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,  
  
Petitioner-Appellee,

v

EVELYN HARPER,  
  
Respondent-Appellant.

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May 25, 2001

No. 226528  
Wayne Circuit Court  
Family Division  
LC No. 97-359982

Before: Jansen, P.J., and Zahra and Owens, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Respondent appeals as of right from the trial court's order terminating her parental rights to the minor children under MCL 712A.19b(3)(c)(i), (g), and (j); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(c)(i), (g), and (j). We affirm. This case is being decided without oral argument pursuant to MCR 7.214(E)(1).

The trial 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, the evidence did not show that termination of respondent's parental rights was clearly not in the children's best interests. MCL 712A.19b(5); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(5); *In re Trejo Minors*, 462 Mich 341, 356-357; 612 NW2d 407 (2000). Thus, the trial court did not err in terminating respondent's parental rights to the children.

Affirmed.

/s/ Kathleen Jansen  
/s/ Brian K. Zahra  
/s/ Donald S. Owens