

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

In the Matter of TESR-L, Minor.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

V

THERESA SOMMERVILLE-ROBINSON LEE,

Respondent-Appellant,

and

JERRY JACKSON,

Respondent.

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No. 231766
Wayne Circuit Court
Family Division
LC No. 94-322348

Before: White, P.J., and Talbot and E.R. Post*, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

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

The trial court did not clearly err in finding that §§ 19b(3)(c)(i), (g) and (j) were established by clear and convincing evidence. MCR 5.974(I), *In re Miller*, 433 Mich 331, 337; 445 NW2d 161 (1989). Petitioner's evidence established that respondent-appellant mother suffers from a severe mental illness that will interfere with her ability to care for her child. Because the evidence did not show that termination of respondent-appellant's parental rights was clearly not in the child's best interests, the trial court did not err in terminating her parental rights. MCL 712A.19b(5); *In re Trejo*, 462 Mich 341, 356-357; 612 NW2d 407 (2000).

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

Affirmed.

/s/ Helene N. White
/s/ Michael J. Talbot
/s/ Edward R. Post