

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
**COURT OF APPEALS**

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In the Matter of TRESHAWN M. PURNELL,  
CHRISTOPHER RICHARDSON,  
KENYANNA K. RICHARDSON and  
MALACHI L. PURNELL, Minors

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FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

NATASHA PURNELL,

Respondent-Appellant,

and

CHRISTOPHER QUEZADA,

Respondent.

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No. 201792

Ingham Juvenile Court

LC No. 00004360

Before: Markey, P.J., and Neff and Smolenski, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

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

The juvenile 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-appellant failed to show that termination of her parental rights was clearly not in the children's best interests. *In re Hall-Smith*, 222 Mich App 470, 473; 564 NW2d

156 (1997). Thus, the juvenile court did not err in terminating respondent-appellant's parental rights to the children. MCL 712A.19b(5); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(5).

Affirmed.

/s/ Jane E. Markey

/s/ Janet T. Neff

/s/ Michael R. Smolenski