

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

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In the Matter of MICHELLE and BRIANA  
BRINSON, Minors.

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FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

MICHAEL BRINSON,

Respondent-Appellant,

and

JEANIE BRINSON,

Respondent.

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No. 214865

Oakland Probate Court

Juvenile Division

LC No. 95-060436-NA

Before: Hoekstra, P.J., and Cavanagh and White, JJ.

**MEMORANDUM.**

Respondent-appellant appeals by right from the juvenile court order terminating his parental rights to the minor children under MCL 712A.19b(3)(c)(i); MSA 27A.3178(598.19b)(3)(c)(i). We affirm.

The family court did not clearly err in finding that subsection (3)(c)(i) was established by clear and convincing evidence. MCR 5.974(I); *In re Vasquez*, 199 Mich App 44, 51; 501 NW2d 231 (1993). Because respondent-appellant failed to demonstrate that termination was clearly not in the children's best interests, MCL 712A.19b(5); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(5), the juvenile court did not err in terminating his parental rights to the children. *In re Hall-Smith*, 222 Mich App 470, 472-473; 564 NW2d 156 (1997).

Affirmed.

/s/ Joel P. Hoekstra  
/s/ Mark J. Cavanagh  
/s/ Helene N. White