

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

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MEGAN E. CARNEY,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v

DAVID G. CARNEY,

Defendant-Appellee.

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March 30, 2001

No. 227461

Calhoun Circuit Court

LC No. 98-002285-DM

Before: Wilder, P.J., and Hood and Cavanagh, JJ.

Wilder, P.J. (concurring).

I agree with the conclusions reached in the lead opinion, and write separately only to note that even though appellant failed to provide an adequate discussion of the constitutional claims asserted, this case does appear to raise the issue of the viability of the equitable parenthood doctrine in a way that the facts in *Van v Zaharak*, 460 Mich 320 (1999), did not.

/s/ Kurtis T. Wilder