

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

In the Matter of ROSLYN CHEESEBORO and
KEVIN DEON CHEESEBORO, Minors.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

UNPUBLISHED
December 19, 1997

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

No. 199659
Wayne Juvenile Court
LC No. 87-265555

ROSLYN CHEESEBORO,

Respondent-Appellant.

Before: McDonald, P.J., and Wahls and J. R. Weber*, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Respondent appeals by delayed application granted from the juvenile court order terminating her parental rights to the minor child Kevin under MCL 712A.19b(3)(a)(i), (c)(i), (g), and (h); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(a)(i), (c)(i), (g), and (h). We affirm.

The juvenile court did not clearly err in finding that statutory grounds for termination were established by clear and convincing evidence. *In re Miller*, 433 Mich 331, 337; 445 NW2d 161 (1989). Further, the juvenile court did not clearly err in ruling that termination of respondent's parental rights was in the best interests of the child. *In re Hall-Smith*, 222 Mich App 470, 472-473; 564 NW2d 156 (1997). As evidenced by respondent's decade long history of choosing a life of crime over caring for her children, as well as the fact she hardly knew Kevin, there is a reasonable likelihood that Kevin would be harmed if placed in respondent's care and custody.

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

Affirmed.

/s/ Gary R. McDonald

/s/ Myron H. Wahls

/s/ John R. Weber