Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

In re Burkeen Minors

Docket No. 285620, 285621

LC No. 06-010281 NA

Alton T. Davis
Presiding Judge

Patrick M. Meter

Stephen L. Borrello
Judges

The Court orders that these appeals are CONSOLIDATED to advance the efficient administration of the appellate process.

The claims of appeal are treated as applications for leave to appeal and they are GRANTED. Appellants failed to request appellate counsel within the 14-day period following the termination of their parental rights as required by MCR 7.204(A)(1). However, this appears to have occurred because the trial court provided appellants with forms that erroneously stated that they had 21 days to request appellate counsel. The appellants followed the instructions and made the requests within the time period stated.

A true copy entered and certified by Sandra Schultz Mengel, Chief Clerk, on

JUN 27 2008
Date

Sandra Schultz Mengel
Chief Clerk