

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

In the Matter of IESHA MADEN, FRANK MADEN,
JR., and DOMINIC MADEN, Minors.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

IRIS MADEN,

Respondent-Appellant,

and

FRANK MADEN, SR.,

Respondent.

In the Matter of FREDDIE KIBBY, IV, and
JAWAHN STERLING, Minors.

FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY,

Petitioner-Appellee,

v

IRIS MADEN,

Respondent-Appellant,

and

FREDDIE KIBBY, III,

Respondent.

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Nos. 210930
St. Clair Juvenile Court
LC No. 95-000370

No. 210949
St. Clair Juvenile Court
LC No. 95-000323

Before: Young, Jr., P.J., and Wahls and Jansen, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

In these consolidated appeals, respondent-appellant appeals as of right from the juvenile court order terminating her parental rights to the minor children under MCL 712A.19b(3)(c)(i); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(3)(c)(i).¹ This case is being decided without oral argument pursuant to MCR 7.214(E). We affirm.

The juvenile court did not clearly err in finding that the statutory ground for termination was 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. MCL 712A.19b(5); MSA 27.3178(598.19b)(5); *In re Hall-Smith*, 222 Mich App 470, 472-473; 564 NW2d 156 (1997). Thus, the juvenile court did not err in terminating respondent-appellant's parental rights to the children.

Affirmed.

/s/ Robert P. Young, Jr.

/s/ Myron H. Wahls

/s/ Kathleen Jansen

¹ The fathers of the minor children do not appeal the concurrent termination of their parental rights.