

IN RE CHILD OF CRYSTAL T.

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Decided July 20, 2021

Panel: MEAD, GORMAN, JABAR, HUMPHREY, and HORTON, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Crystal T. appeals from a judgment of the District Court (Biddeford, *Duddy, J.*) terminating her parental rights to her child. Contrary to the mother's contentions, the record contains sufficient evidence to support the court's findings that the mother is unwilling or unable to protect the child from jeopardy and these circumstances are unlikely to change in a time reasonably calculated to meet the child's needs, is unwilling or unable to take responsibility for the child within a time that is reasonably calculated to meet the child's needs, and failed to make a good faith effort to rehabilitate and reunify with the child.<sup>1</sup> See 22 M.R.S. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(b)(i), (ii), (iv) (2021); *In re Child of Louise G.*, 2020 ME 87, ¶ 8, 236 A.3d 445.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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<sup>1</sup> Although the mother does not challenge the court's finding that termination was in the best interest of the child, we note that there was no clear error or abuse of discretion in that determination as well. See 22 M.R.S. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(a) (2021); *In re Children of Shem A.*, 2020 ME 65, ¶ 10, 232 A.3d 236.

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