IN RE CHILDREN OF ASHLEY S.

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Panel: STANFILL, C.J., and MEAD, JABAR, HORTON, CONNORS, LAWRENCE, and DOUGLAS, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Ashley S. appeals from a judgment of the District Court (West Bath, *Robinson, J.*) terminating her parental rights to two children. Contrary to her contentions, the record contains competent evidence to support the court's findings, by clear and convincing evidence, of unfitness, and the court did not err or abuse its discretion by determining that termination of the mother's parental rights is in the children's best interests. *See* 22 M.R.S. § 4050(2) (2023); 22 M.R.S. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(a), (b)(i)-(iv) (2023); *In re Children of Jason C.*, 2020 ME 86, ¶ 7, 236 A.3d 438; *Adoption by Jessica M.*, 2020 ME 118, ¶¶ 22-24, 239 A.3d 633; *In re Child of Jessica C.*, 2020 ME 63, ¶ 9, 232 A.3d 224.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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