

M.G.

v.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Submitted on Briefs March 27, 2024  
Decided April 9, 2024

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

## MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

M.G. appeals from a judgment of the Superior Court (*Mulhern, J.*) affirming the Department of Health and Human Services Commissioner's final decision substantiating M.G. for high severity sexual abuse and high severity emotional abuse. Contrary to M.G.'s contentions, the decision was not an error of law, arbitrary and capricious, or an abuse of discretion and was supported by substantial evidence in the record. See *Somerset Cty. v. Dep't of Corr.*, 2016 ME 33, ¶ 14, 133 A.3d 1006; *Rossignol v. Maine Pub. Emps. Ret. Sys.*, 2016 ME 115, ¶ 6, 144 A.3d 1175; *Int'l Paper Co. v. Bd. of Env't Prot.*, 1999 ME 135, ¶ 29, 737 A.2d 1947; *Friends of Lincoln Lakes v. Bd. of Env't Prot.*, 2010 ME 18, ¶ 14, 989 A.2d 1128.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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