

In re BRITTANY L. et al.

Submitted on Briefs September 9, 2004
Decided October 28, 2004

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J. and CLIFFORD, RUDMAN, DANA, ALEXANDER,
CALKINS, and LEVY, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

The mother and father of Brittany L., Aaron L., Lydia L., and Ralph L. appeal from a judgment of the District Court (Newport, *MacMichael, J.*) terminating their parental rights pursuant to 22 M.R.S.A. § 4055(1)(B)(2) (2004). Contrary to the father's contention, the petition for termination of parental rights was legally sufficient. *See* 22 M.R.S.A. § 4052(3) (2004); *Morse Bros., Inc. v. Mason*, 2001 ME 5, ¶ 4, 764 A.2d 267, 269; *Champagne v. Mid-Maine Med. Ctr.*, 1998 ME 87, ¶ 17, 711 A.2d 842, 847; M.R. Civ. P. 8(a). Further, contrary to the mother's contention, sufficient evidence exists in the record to support the court's findings by clear and convincing evidence of at least one ground of parental unfitness, *see In re Alana S.*, 2002 ME 126, ¶ 20, 802 A.2d 976, 981, and that

termination of parental rights is in the children's best interest, *see In re Jeremiah Y.*, 2002 ME 135, ¶ 9, 804 A.2d 357, 359.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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