

In re Timothy B. et al.

Submitted on Briefs November 23, 2009  
Decided December 3, 2009

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and ALEXANDER, LEVY, SILVER, MEAD, and  
JABAR, JJ.

#### MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

The mother of Timothy and Donavon B. appeals from a judgment entered in the District Court (Calais, *Romei, J.*) terminating her parental rights to both children pursuant to 22 M.R.S. § 4055(1)(B)(2) (2008). Contrary to the mother's contentions, the record supports the court's findings, by clear and convincing evidence, that: (1) the mother is unwilling and unable to protect the children from jeopardy and these circumstances are unlikely to change within a time reasonably calculated to meet the children's needs; (2) the mother is unwilling and unable to take responsibility for the children within a time reasonably calculated to meet the children's needs; and (3) the mother failed to make a good faith effort to rehabilitate and reunify with the children. *See* 22 M.R.S. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(b)(i), (ii), (iv). The court also rationally could have found clear and convincing evidence in the record that termination of the mother's parental rights is in the children's best interests. *See* 22 M.R.S. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(a).

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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