

IN RE CLAYTON S.

Submitted on Briefs December 13, 2000
Decided December 19, 2000

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

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

The father of Clayton S. and Charlie S. appeals from a judgment of the District Court (Machias, *Romei, J.*) terminating his parental rights to his sons. Contrary to the father's contentions, the evidence is sufficient to support the District Court's conclusion that the father is unwilling or unable to protect his sons from jeopardy and to take responsibility for the children within a time that is reasonably calculated to meet the needs of the children, and that the termination of the father's parental rights is in the best interests of the children. See *In re Elijah R.*, 620 A.2d 282, 285-86 (Me. 1993); *In re Jeffrey E.*, 557 A.2d 954, 956-57 (Me. 1989); *In re Joseph P. and Lisa P.*, 532 A.2d 1031, 1034 (Me. 1987).

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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