

IN RE CHAD G.

Submitted on Briefs July 19, 2001  
Decided July 27, 2001

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

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

The parents appeal separately from the judgment of the District Court (Portland, *Bradley J.*) terminating their parental rights with respect to Chad G. Contrary to the parents' contentions, there was sufficient evidence for the court to find that (1) the father is unwilling or unable to take responsibility for the child within a time which is reasonably calculated to meet the child's needs, 22 M.R.S.A. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(b)(ii), and (2) termination of the mother's and father's parental rights is in the best interest of the child, 22 M.R.S.A. § 4055(1)(B)(2)(a) (1992). On the facts of this case, the father's other contentions warrant no further attention.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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